



**CURRENT COMMENT**  
By Chester H. Rowell

IT IS still the cheap and easy thing to assume that the League of Nations means nothing for America. But it is at least no longer possible to pretend that it means nothing for the world. After the agreements of Locarno, which could be consummated only in the framework of the League of Nations; after the events of September in Geneva, comes now a further stage in the agreement of France and Germany and the cementing of the peace of the world.

DIFFICULT and imperfect as these understandings are, only the League made them possible at all. Briand's Nationalists, backed by Poincaré, made him demand things which, except for the League, Germany would never have conceded, and even yet the extreme Nationalists of France are not satisfied. Stresemann had to be content with much less than his Nationalists demanded, and less than, in good logic, he was entitled to. Only the League made that possible. Italy and Poland do not like the arrangement, and would make trouble if they dared. Only the League will prevent that. Even this agreement, now made, may stir more snags before it goes into operation. Only the League will make it sure to rise, after one or many stumbles. For Europe, at least the League is vital.

FOR the world at large, the League is no longer an issue or a project. It is a going concern. More and more, it is the accepted organ, through which the nations conduct their common affairs. Even its temporary failures, or the incompleteness of its successes are measured against the total failures that would be inevitable without it. Even the selfish intrigues, the sordid rivalries which it reveals, belong all to the nationalisms which, without it, would have full sway, rather than to the internationalism which, through it, is struggling slowly to realization. In these nationalisms are the only menace to peace. And, according to Stresemann, the League has already made it evident that if it had existed in 1914, there would have been no war.

THE Declaration of Independence was written in 1776. It was 1789 before the Constitution was adopted as a document, and a whole generation after that before the American government, as an institution, was soundly established on it. It was eighty years after the French revolution before the French republic was securely fixed. Even now, sixty years after our Civil War, the really new South is just emerging. Let there be no surprise, then, if only eight years after the close of the greatest war in history, in the corner of the world closer packed with historic hatreds than any other, the task of reconstruction is not complete, and if, for this generation, most of the post-war problems are certain to be located in the continent where the war was fought. The job is nearer done, now, than it ever was in equal time after any other war. And for that, the participants at least give the League of Nations the credit.

IT IS our privilege to say that we are sorry we ever went into the shooting part of the war, and that we refuse to have anything to do with its later stages, still going on. We can, if we are willing to take the consequences, isolate ourselves and repudiate all responsibility even for the obligations which we once assumed but now repeat. But it is for the present a possible one, and we seem committed to it. But at least it is not the part of intelligent observation to close our eyes to what is going on in the rest of the world. And the chief thing that is going on there—the only thing that makes it safe for anything else to go on—is the League of Nations. Repudiate it here, if we like, we can not ignore it there.

THIS not only is the truth, whether we recognize it or not; the writer has recently had evidence that at least an intelligent minority, across the whole breadth of America does recognize it. He has been speaking to many audiences, on many subjects, in the principal cities of the Middle West and of the Atlantic Coast. Sometimes the subjects were international, and the audience naturally composed of those interested in such things; sometimes the selection was on other lines. But everywhere, an active, very earnest group, composed of the recognized leaders of the community, was beligerently and disgustedly opposed to the present drift of American isolationism, and eager to take up the fight for any concrete step in the contrary direction. The reactionaries may be right in saying that the popular movement is the other way. Here is at least evidence that it is not all that way, and that those who are aggressively and eagerly for the forward way include many of those who, in other things, habitually lead the thoughts and lives of their communities.

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## DEATH CLAIMS JAPAN'S EMPEROR

### U. S. Forces Stand Guard in Nicaragua

#### BLUEJACKETS LAND AT RIO GRANDE BAR

Purpose of American Commander in Putting Men Ashore Is Not Explained

#### DAZ REGIME PERILED

Washington Allows Plane To Be Sent from New Orleans to Central America

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 24.—An attempt to assassinate President Diaz, the conservative chief executive of Nicaragua, was revealed today. Two men armed with machine, long, heavy knives, attacked the president last night, as he was riding in a coach, accompanied only by a driver. Diaz was uninjured, but the driver may die of his wounds.

(By United Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—American forces, hitherto used in Nicaragua only to occupy part of Bluefields, were employed further at Rio Grande bar, Nicaragua.

Bluejackets landed at that point yesterday, to guard American and foreign lives and property. The nature of the situation requiring their presence was still unknown this morning, but the state department anticipated Admiral Latimer, in charge in Nicaraguan waters, would send additional information before night.

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(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Four of the army airplanes undertaking a 21,000-mile flight to South America and back will remain at Tampico until a new engine can be shipped there from the United States, according to a message received by the war department today from Major Dargue, flight commander.

The St. Louis burned out its engine yesterday, while preparing to take off for Vera Cruz. Balance of flight will remain at Tampico until St. Louis ready. Visit to Mexico City to be completed by rail from Tampico.

#### MOTHER AND 9 ARE BURIED IN CELLAR GRAVES

Father Attempts Suicide After Interring Wife And Children

(By United Press)

TEXICO, N. M., Dec. 24.—The body of Mrs. George Hassel and her nine children were today dug from the cellar of the Hassel home, where they had been buried by George Hassel, husband and father.

The gruesome tragedy was unearthened with the attempted suicide of Hassel.

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HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 24.—Pola

Negri, temperamental screen

star and reputed fiancee of the late Rudolph Valentino, has

asked payment of a \$15,000

claim against "Rudy's" estate,

which was learned here today.

Pola is said to have loaned

the money to Valentino to aid

in the purchase of his Beverly

Hills home "Falcon Lair,"

which sold at auction recently

for \$145,000.

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Greetings of the Yuletide Season!

## Season's Greetings

—and that we may serve you during the New Year, 1927, is our wish.

PIGGY WIGGLY  
All Over the World

406-408 West Fourth Street  
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Christmas

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221 West Fourth

Near Broadway

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THAT your Christmas will be a season of many new pleasures and your new year bright and happy every day, is the wish we send to our patrons whose business during 1926 has left us appreciative and encouraged for the days to come.

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## GRAND CENTRAL MARKET

SANTA ANA'S MOST POPULAR TRADING CENTER

Wishes Its Thousands of Patrons

## A Merry Christmas

And a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year

We also take advantage of this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation of the wonderful patronage accorded our market, and to promise some entirely new trading attractions for the year 1927.

ALABAMA STAR  
ON SHELF WITH APPENDICITIS

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 24.—Alabama's Crimson Tide headed for Pasadena, California, for the New Year's day grid battle with Leland Stanford, arrived here today minus "Sherlock" Holmes, veteran center of the team.

Holmes was left in an El Paso hospital suffering from an attack of appendicitis. He will join the squad later, if possible.

The players spent the forenoon sightseeing around the city. After lunch, Coach Wallace Wade took his men out to the University of Arizona field for a heavy practice and scrimmage.

The Crimson warriors appeared tired from the long trip, and lacked their usual pep in running through their workout. Most of the practice session was devoted to a passing attack and signal drill.

The Alabama party, including Southern conference officials and more than 100 fans, leave on their special train tonight. They are scheduled to arrive in Pasadena Christmas morning at 8 o'clock.

## Ventures of Valencia

I still believe in Santa Claus, although I am soon to be 16. Tomorrow I expect to fly to the roaring city and meet old St. Nick, who is scheduled to make thousands of poor little children happy at the huge benefit Christmas tree, in Preager park, Los Angeles.

And if I live through the ordeal, I will write all about the party in Monday's Register.

I spent a most delightful time at the weekly luncheon of the Lions club of Santa Ana, in St. Ann's Inn, yesterday. You may remember that I already have told you about my venture in the Orange Lions' den and I don't want you to get the impression that I am confining my visits to Lions clubs. My escort says, in his quaint manner, that it's jake with him, because they always serve lunch.

Really, I was impressed when these gentlemen sang "Holy Night" and "America."

A sweet girl recited a poem about the Christ birth. It's nice to know that real men think about God and what Christmas stands for, and the harmony of their voices inspired me. I am sure that all their women-folks are very proud of them. There was a big bell on the table and the chief Lion got tired ringing it with what I thought was a gavel. Anyway C. S. Crookshank, the chief Lion turned it over to Mason Gould without any lament, whatever, and evident relief.

I previously had met Mr. Gould in the newspaper office and his stern, coldly businesslike air had frightened me so much that I trembled to even suggest that I would be glad to help tidy up the place, which was littered with paper clipings, while everyone rushed madly about shouting, "Kill this," "chop that," "give this a spread," which can mean nothing at all.

Now, when Mr. Crookshank gave him the whatever it is, Mr. Gould smiled and immediately told a funny story, but although I just knew the others were restraining their mirth with difficulty, none laughed aloud. Whereupon Mr. Gould banged the bell. Some one else told a story and everyone but Mr. Gould, who made the teller pay a fine, noticed that all the stories the others told were so poor in his judgment that they were all forced to pay fines, but he never had to fine himself. Professor Caesar Clanton played a solo on the trombone and G. A. Durum, who is a motion picture producer, said he now hoped to find out how a trombone player could swallow so much horn every time he pulled in the slide.

Each Lion had brought a package of presents, which, when opened, disclosed all kinds of toys. Two members were immediately fined because they had brought toy bears, which some unscrupulous sales persons had convinced them were lions. My escort wore knickers, which I think make him look awfully cute, and the Lions evidently thought so too, because they made a motion that all the toys should be given to him. He seemed flustered at the compliment, but graciously declined, and they will go to the poor little tots in the orphanages. I told them the Orange County Personality pageant and hope all the other animal clubs are as nice to me.

News Briefs  
From Today's  
Class. Ads.

Garage-House for exchange.  
Will take car as part.

Want to borrow \$350.00 at 10 per cent interest.

150 white leghorn hens, 18 months old.

Want to buy a Pomeranian or a Pekingese female dog.

Vegetable stand for sale. Must be moved from present location.

Addresses to the above ads may be found in today's classified columns.

TEXAS SCRIBE  
SLIGHTLY HURT  
IN CAR MISHAP

Pop Boone, sports editor of the Fort Worth Press, was slightly injured yesterday, when, mistaking a wet dirt road for a paved highway, near the Martin flying field, he drove his car into a 10-foot ditch, filled with mud and water.

Boone is the dean of sports writers in the Lone Star state and is well known throughout the south and the southwest as a news writer. Accompanied by his son and daughter, and Miss Murine Montgomery, he left Fort Worth last Sunday for Laguna Beach, to join Mrs. Boone, who is visiting friends in the beach resort. He was on his way to Laguna Beach when the accident occurred.

Beyond a gash in Boone's forehead and a hiccup on the dome, to use his own expression, no one was hurt.

Boone blames California's "unusual weather" for the mishap. "Odd luck to drive 1800 miles through rain, mud, washouts, snow, icy passes, deserts, then go into the ditch just as I was finishing a rather remarkable run from Yuma to Laguna Beach right on schedule," Boone commented.

"Can't tell how badly the car was damaged, it looked no worse off than then," said Pop, "and all we could see of her was the tail light straight over the middle of the ditch."

AMERICAN FORCES  
ARE IN NICARAGUA

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state department, leaving diplomatic experts here in doubt as to what had developed at the point to require this sudden action.

It seemed likely the force was fairly strong and able to cope with any situation at the bar, since Latimer's flagship steamed on to Hover near the center of the Liberal revolt. Government officials avoided speculation and there was no direct comment to indicate the landing was the beginning of any general effort to support the Diaz regime.

Hitherto, American action has been based on the idea of protection for American lives and property. Plane for Nicaragua

Following his state department's refusal to permit the Mexican government to ship eight airplanes from California to Mexico, because of the arms embargo, the department has granted a similar request of Nicaragua for one plane, now being shipped from New Orleans, the United Press learned today.

The department made this exception in the case of the Nicaraguan embargo, while the Nicaraguan Conservative President, Diaz was issuing an appeal for American aid against the Liberal revolutionists recognized by Mexico.

Morrison said today that McIntyre set his own sentence date, naming December 23 as the date he wished to start sentence.

So if Santa Claus finds the bars impenetrable tomorrow, it's McIntyre's own fault.

COURT ORDERS TRUCK DRIVER  
MAN'S RELEASE IS BLAMED FOR  
DEATH OF BOY

A technical legal point sprung in court today by Attorney O. A. Jacobs, defense counsel, secured the release of Charles Gillis, of Cypress, when he was arraigned before Superior Judge James L. Allen on a charge of possession of liquor, with a prior conviction of a similar offense.

Gillis, who has been in court on numerous previous occasions in connection with liquor charges, waived his preliminary examination in justice court on November 24. When he was arraigned today, it was not suspected that he contemplated any opposition to the charge.

But Jacobs cited a section of the penal code which provides that, when a defendant waives his preliminary examination the information charging him with the offense must be filed in superior court within 15 days. The Gillis information was not filed until 30 days after the preliminary, the time limit allowed in cases where the preliminary is not waived.

Judge Allen ordered the dismissal of the charge against Gillis.

YOUTH IS JAILED  
ON THEFT CHARGE

Following his plea of guilty to a charge of petit larceny, in connection with the theft of Edward H. Burns' automobile, last Saturday, James McDonnell, San Diego youth, was sentenced to serve six months in the county jail and pay a fine of \$500. In Justice Kenneth Morrison's court today.

Ronald Fitzgerald, arrested with McDonnell, was freed, following McDonnell's admission that he, alone, was to blame for the theft.

"I had been drinking a little and I met a young lady, and you know love it is, judge," McDonnell said.

The two youths, who live in San Diego, they said, were arrested in Los Angeles, soon after the machine was stolen here and after the car had figured in a wreck on a downtown Los Angeles street.

Speeder to Spend  
Christmas Behind  
County Jail Bars

There is one man whom Santa Claus will not visit tomorrow and it probably is the man's own fault. R. S. McIntyre, 20, 626 Woodrow street, Taft, Calif., was arrested for speeding on the Irvine boulevard, on November 25. The charge was 55 miles an hour and Officer Cain was the officer who made the arrest.

R. S. McIntyre, 20, 626 Woodrow and was told that he would have to go to jail for five days. He said "all right," and then asked the judge if it would be all right for him to wait and spend Christmas here.

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## Merry Christmas

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS may come to you from many sources, but none can be more sincere than those that the "CLAUSEN FURNITURE COMPANY" wish to you and yours at this happy Christmas time. We're always glad when Christmas time comes round. It gives us an opportunity to send you the many good wishes we've been storing up for 364 days, and to say, "Thank you" for the many favors so kindly sent our way during the year.

These favors—and your patronage—have been sincerely appreciated, and with the coming of the New Year, we hope to again have the pleasure of being of service to you.

So here's hoping this will be the most "Joyously Happy Christmas" you have ever spent, and our sincerest wish will not come true unless 1927 brings Happiness to you.

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for dollar value, and a little more, represented in every purchase of footwear made at our store. And we assure you, our friends and customers, that we will begin the New Year with even a stronger zeal toward a higher standard in our store generally, and the best possible value in every purchase that you will make here in 1927.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year is our sincerest wish to one and all.

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TO MY FRIENDS AND ENEMIES—the same to you.

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Los Angeles and Vicinity—Fair and cold tonight and Saturday. Frost in exposed places tonight.

Southern California—Fair and continued cool tonight and Saturday; heavy frost tonight.

Santa Barbara Bay Region—Fair, continued cold tonight, Saturday; light variable winds.

San Joaquin Valley—Fair, continued cold, Saturday; heavy frost tonight; light variable winds.

Temperatures—for Santa Ana and vicinity for 24-hour period ending at 6 a. m.: maximum, 55; minimum, 35.

Marriage Licenses

John J. Carmichael, 44, Bess Pearson, 35, Los Angeles.

Peter L. Cudahy, 29, Elissa Murata, 29, Los Angeles.

Arthur R. Taylor, 28, Inez W. Perry, 20, Long Beach.

Homer H. Miller, 42, Kathryn Artman, 24, Los Angeles.

William E. Richardson, 44, Roenna Hauin, 46, Los Angeles.

Edgar F. Trumbo, 21, Inglewood; Ethel M. Walters, 18, Los Angeles.

Jefferson A. Raffi, 21, Placentia; Alice E. Parks, 18, Fullerton.

John H. Bond, 32, La Mesa.

John 31, Los Angeles.

Raymond H. Robins, 22, Velma D. Niel, 25, Long Beach.

John H. Lyons, 23, Anna S. Klein, 24, Los Angeles.

Thomas W. McIver, 27, Glendale; Grace M. Sawyer, 19, Los Angeles.

Harold L. Power, 41, Los Angeles.

Helen L. Hock, 20, Orange.

John Austen, 21, Sawtelle; Fenna Baumann, 23, Anaheim.

Arthur R. McConaughay, 28, Olympia, Wash.; Mary E. West, 25, Anaheim.

Laurence M. Boots, 25, Covina.

Zenia R. Canada, 20, San Dimas.

Ben F. Cudahy, 26, Lodi Ranch;

Mark G. Green, 70, Long Beach.

Peter W. Carrigan, 52, Wilmington.

Maggie M. Burnham, 59, Long Beach.

Victor Garcia, 23, Hermosa Lugo, 19, Los Angeles.

Stanley F. Lindman, 26, Dorothy E. Savage, 25, Pasadena.

Roy Cline, 29, Los Angeles; Zelma Pauline, 21, Los Angeles.

Robert M. Patton, 24, Ferol Summer, 27, Long Beach.

Death Notices

A WORD OF COMFORT  
It were better to fall because you have dared great things, than to quail because you have not dared at all.

Endeavor to live true to the faith that you were not born for defeat. At the moment you think that your hopes are wrecked, it is not so. Dare to trust in the strength God will bestow and your dearest dreams will yet be fulfilled.

BOGARDUS—At her home, 1216 South Flower street, December 23, 1926, Mrs. Nannie E. Bogardus, aged 78 years. Funeral services were held Monday December 27th, at 10 a. m. from Smith and Tuthill's chapel. Mrs. Bogardus is survived by her husband, Robert Bogardus, a daughter, Mrs. Will O'Brien, a son, Roy C. Bogardus, all of Santa Ana.

Gagliano Bulbs, 50 cents per dozen. Funeral Sprays \$1.00 each. 1212 Maple street. Phone 2326 Flowerland, we deliver.

Tuesday, Dec. 28, 8 p. m., installation of officers S. A. Royal Arch Chapter No. 73, followed by dancing and court whist. All Masons and their families are cordially invited.

W. L. KAUFMAN, H. P.

## CHECK KITER GETS PRISON SENTENCE

Sherman Moore, who vainly sought from an insane asylum as a refuge from state's prison, was sentenced to San Quentin today by Superior Judge James L. Allen for a term of from one to 14 years for check kiting.

Moore, who has committed many check offenses, according to authorities, recently was tried before a jury to determine his sanity, after he had offered insanity in defense. The jury found him sane. He then pleaded guilty to the check charge and applied for probation, which Judge Allen declined to grant.

An affecting scene followed the pronouncement of sentence. As Moore was led from the courtroom, his father, D. G. Moore, Compton attorney, embraced his son and kissed him.

## Man Is Sentenced On Fraud Charge

Charged with defrauding an innkeeper, Charles Williams, Laguna Beach, was sentenced to serve six months in the county jail yesterday, in Justice Kenneth Morrison's court. He pleaded guilty. Williams was arrested for Orange county officers in San Francisco, last week, and returned here by Deputy Sheriff William Bates.

From the competitive point of view, the recent six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden will go on record as one of the greatest contests of its kind staged in recent years.

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## The Cheerful Cherub

Great books make me feel great as well—Their thoughts so simple and so true.  
Feel quite at home in my small mind, As if I'd somehow thought them too.



## FRATERNAL CALENDAR

Santa Ana chapter, O. E. S. Christmas party for members and children, Monday night, December 27, 8 o'clock, Masonic temple. Program and trees.

Royal Neighbors—Will meet Monday night, December 27, 2030 o'clock, M. W. A. hall. Each member is to bring a 25-cent gift.

Sons and Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War—Pot-luck supper, Monday night, December 27, 6:30 o'clock, G.A.R. hall.

**Local Briefs**  
Mel Trickey has purchased the interest of his brother, Frank, in the real estate firm of Trickey Brothers, it was announced today. Trickey will operate in the future under the name of the Mel Trickey company.

C. E. Derssey has taken over the life department of the Aetna Life Insurance company's Santa Ana office. J. J. Tyndall, formerly in charge of this department, has been transferred to the company's Los Angeles office.

Sen. Hilbrecht arrived here today to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. B. H. Dunn, 1602 West Fourth street.

Pop Boone, a well known newspaperman of Fort Worth, Texas and family, are guests at St. Ann's Inn. Other arrivals include Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Eldridge, Laguna Beach; H. J. Rupert, New York City; Mrs. M. Weinig, and Miss M. L. Weinig, Los Angeles; Mrs. E. S. Leyman and Miss Dorothy Leyman, La Jolla; Mrs. J. L. Taylor, San Diego; Mr. and Mrs. James A. Irwin, Coronado; L. M. Eagler, Los Angeles; D. J. Riggs, Los Angeles; Miss B. H. Breckfelden, Brentwood Park; and Robert F. Fitz, Los Angeles.

Listed among guests at Hotel Rossmore are A. E. Willrodrig, Oakland; H. Wolff, Santa Ana; W. A. Suretti and family, Sawtelle; Jos. F. Rensche, Los Angeles; R. E. Wilson, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sniff, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bray, San Bernardino; R. D. Castello, San Diego; Tom E. Davis, U. S. Nevada; C. H. Hochin, Jr., Monterey; Mrs. N. J. Cleaver San Diego; Charles Davidson, Los Angeles; C. Le Roy Behrea, Hollywood; and Harry Smith, Los Olivos, Calif.

Cash Wolford, of Los Olivos, formerly a resident of Santa Ana, is registered at Hotel Rossmore.

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**BURNS ARE FATAL TO RANCH WOMAN**

Her dress catching fire when a can of gasoline, with which she was preparing to clean some clothes, was ignited, Mrs. Cuca Rodriguez, 23, a resident of the Halladay ranch, near Villa Park, suffered burns which resulted in her death, last night, in the Orange county hospital.

The woman lived only a few hours after the flames, which enveloped her body, were extinguished by her husband. She had become a mother in a short time.

The body was removed to the McAuley Funeral parlors, Fullerton from where the funeral will be held.

Many people regard model yachting as an amusement only for boys. Yet in America and in Europe it has become a highly organized sport. Both sailing and power boats are included in the hobby, some of the latter running to six feet in length and managing a speed of over 20 miles an hour.

From the competitive point of view, the recent six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden will go on record as one of the greatest contests of its kind staged in recent years.

## The Greatest Name

By Commander Evangeline Booth

There are names we cannot hear without a shudder, and there are names whose beloved cadences fall on our ears like divinely sacred music and are an inspiration to all men. Among these latter may be mentioned "mother," the sum of all life's blessings; "friend," sweetest flower of altruism; "the baby," which vibrates perhaps the finest and most sensitive chords of the human heart.

Then there are the great names that stand out like mountain peaks in the long history of man.

Moses, for all time, stands for exalted personal integrity, for constructive statesmanship, for legislation founded on the principles of eternity and sublime faith in God. Of David, the sweet singer of Israel, we invariably recall God's declaration that he was a man after His own heart. Paul, to whom was revealed the secret of the omnipotence of divine love, is synonymous with divine revelation. Alexander the Great, with all his glory, portrays the pitiable limitations of mere human ambition. Nero, "one compound of mud and blood," as his people called him, is a synonym for bestial brutality. When we hear such names as Peter the Hermit, Savonarola, Wyclif, Luther, we behold again the undimmed torches of truth with which they defied the darkness of superstition, overcame false doctrine, heresy and schism, and blazed the trail throughout the ages for the progress of the Christian faith.

At the name of Washington, our pulses leap with enthusiastic patriotism, and before our mental vision there rises the noble form of that "statesman, soldier, patriot, sage, reviser of creeds, teacher of truth and justice, achiever and preserver of liberty; the first of men, founder and savior of his country, father of his people, solitary and unapproachable in his grandeur." The name Abraham Lincoln will ever stand for the two greatest forces of national life, liberty and union. Such a name as Frances Willard compels us to bow in reverence and admiration for the intellectual breadth and lives of men.

**ATTORNEY FOR CITY TRUSTEE SEEKS APPEAL**

Emanuel Smith, Fullerton city trustee, who recently paid a \$500 fine in Fullerton Justice court, after pleading guilty to a charge of having possession of liquor, was in Superior Judge James L. Allen's court today, while his attorney, R. E. Haynes, argued his appeal to the justice court judgment.

After Haynes and Judge Allen disagreed on the question of whether Haynes had grounds on which to get the appeal before the superior court, the matter was postponed to January 7, to allow the attorney to produce authorities to support his position.

Haynes stated to the court that he was appealing from a void judgment, Justice William French having, he contended, passed judgment upon the councilman without informing him of his legal rights and without complying with the legal procedure in such cases.

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Heck Jr., 19-year-old Fullerton youth, charged with contributing to the delinquency of a young girl, today was committed by Superior Judge James A. Allen to the Preston School of Industry, at Ione, for a period of five years. Heck, represented by Attorneys Launder and Collins of Fullerton, had applied for probation, but this was refused him.

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Newspapermen and citizens of Fullerton are asked to contribute to the defense fund for Heck Jr. The money will be used to pay his expenses at the Preston School of Industry.

Heck Jr. was born in Fullerton and attended Fullerton High School.

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By Edward Stark of Los Angeles

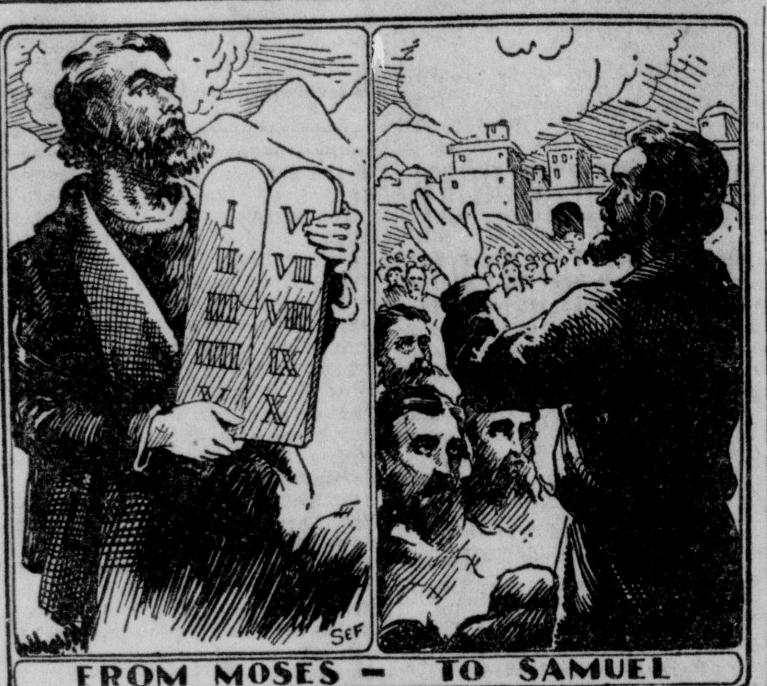
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Golden text—Surely salvation is nigh them that fear him, that glory may dwell in our land. Psalm 85:3.

BY WM. E. GILROY, D.D.  
Editor of The Congregationalist

The period from Moses to Samuel represents a time of struggle for liberty and of development and construction in the life of a people, from which individuals and nations may derive much instruction and spiritual counsel for today.

How different in their outward aspect are the lives of those two men who stand respectively at the beginning and at the end of the quarter's lessons! Yet how similar in the matter of their essential call to leadership and in the depth of consecration with which they gave themselves to their tasks! Both men had preeminent good mothers, wise, intense, full of consecration. But both men

passed quickly, as children, from the directness of a mother's care and influence; Moses to the palace of the Pharaohs, Samuel to the precincts of the tabernacle.

In each man was the triumph of heredity over environment; for Moses, when he had come to years, by faith refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to suffer the afflictions of his people, while Samuel kept himself free from the influences that had destroyed the character of Eli's sons and that had, apparently, weakened the character of Eli himself.

Samuel's Task

It was a very different task that confronted Samuel from that which Moses had undertaken. The task of Moses was that of a deliverer, great military commander and a pioneer. Samuel's task was that of the priest, prophet and statesman. His work was that of spiritual organization or of spiritual restoration. Often the latter task is much harder than the former, just as action is always easier than effective organization.

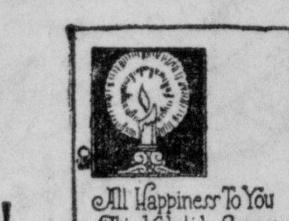
Between these extreme types of leadership and the different tasks that they faced were a group of good men who partook deeply of the strong elements of both Moses and Samuel—Joshua, Caleb, Gideon; each was necessary in his place, and each made his contribution to the work of upbuilding that Samuel more than any other man accomplished.

Dawn of Realization

Prior to Samuel there had been a racial and religious consciousness, binding the people together in the hope of attaining land and liberty. Now that they had won a foothold in the country there was the task of developing a national consciousness and national institutions. It was this task to which Samuel addressed himself.

But for him it was the work rather of a religious leader than a statesman. He sought to develop a theocracy—a society governed directly by the sense of divine purpose and by the seeking of God's will. That has always been a difficult or impossible task where individuals have not already come under the power of God.

Samuel saw some of his own plans and purposes partially defeated in the demand of the people

Merry Christmas!  
Happy New Year!

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Christmas, Solemn high mass. Immediately after midnight mass. Third mass at 11 a. m. followed by benediction.

**First Baptist Church**, North Main at Seventh street. Otto S. Russell, D. D., minister. Harry A. Kern, assistant. 9:30 a. m. Bible school. 11 a. m. morning worship. 7 p. m. Evening service. At the morning service the choir will give the Christmas cantata, "The Heavenly Message." Evening, "Imaginary Folks Are Real"—e. g. Mrs. Wiggs and Santa Claus." Motion picture, "Lovey Mary."

**First Congregational**, North Main at Seventh streets. Perry Frederick Schrock, pastor. 9:45 a. m. church school. 6 p. m. League of Youth. 11 a. m. morning worship. 7 p. m. Evening service. At the morning service the choir will give the Christmas cantata, "The Heavenly Message."

**United Presbyterian**, Sixth and Bush. Wilbert H. McPeak, D. D., pastor. 9:30 a. m. Bible school. Classes for all ages. Golden Anniversary celebration, 1876-1926. 11:00 a. m. worship. Golden Anniversary sermon, Dr. John Elliott Wishart, San Francisco Seminary, San Selmo, Calif. 7 p. m. popular service.

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**Richland Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church**, the "Home-like Church," corner Parton and Rich-

land. W. E. Edgin, pastor. 9:45 a. m. Church school. Geo. W. Barrows, superintendent. Classes for every week. Fine attendance last Sunday. 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. sermons by the pastor. 6 p. m., a lively service conducted by the young people. Mid-week prayer meeting and Bible study on Wednesday evening.

**St. Joseph Catholic Church**, Corner Lacy and Stafford streets. Rev. Father Eummelen, pastor. Masses Sunday, 8 and 10 a. m. Week day masses at 8:15 a. m. Evening services Sundays and first Friday, 7:30 p. m. Christmas masses at 12:45, 8:00 and 10:00 a. m.

**International Bible Students Association**, 402 West Fourth street. No Sunday morning service; 9:30 a. m. annual business meeting; 7:30 p. m. public lecture by Edward Stark of Los Angeles.

**Church of Christ-Corner Broadway and Walnut streets**. Bible study at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11, sermon by Evangelist James H. Sewell. Communion at 12. Evening meeting at 7, half hour of singing, preaching at 7:30, by Bro. Sewell. Last of a series of lectures on "Why I Believe the Bible is the Word of God." Tuesday evening Bro. Blackwell of Costa Mesa will speak at 7:30. Song service. Tune in tonight and every Friday night at 7:15 on KFON or Long Beach.

**First Evangelical church**—Main at Tenth. Edwin J. Nickel, minister. No services on Saturday, December 25. Sunday services as follows: Early preaching service, 9:15 a. m. Sermon by Rev. Melzian. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Special Christmas music. Christian Endeavor, junior and senior, 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Special music, also Christmas carols by

Junior Girls Voiced choir. Special Church night service, Wednesday, December 29, 7:30 p. m.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**, 920 North Main street. A branch of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Services on Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sermon from the Christian Science Quarterly. Subject: "Christian Science." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Free reading room, open daily except Sunday and holidays, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at W. H. Spurgeon building.

**Trinity Lutheran (Mo. Synod)**—East Sixth and Lacy streets. Wm. Schmoeck, pastor. Services: Children's program, Dec. 24, 6:45 p. m. Christmas services Dec. 25, German 9:30, English 10:35 a. m. Sunday services: German 9:30, English 10:35; Sunday school at 9:15. The Rev. E. Kreidi of Olive will occupy the pulpit on Sunday evenings. Special music Christmas eve: "Come Hither, Ye Faithful," b.; Kessel. Christmas day: "Glory to God in the Highest."

**RABBIT THIEVES ARE ACTIVE HERE**

Rabbit thieves last night made wholesale robberies in Santa Ana, stealing a total of 157 blooded animals in three sections of the city, according to reports filed with city authorities today.

Fifty-one rabbits were stolen from the hutch of L. S. Corneal, 1445 Maple street, about midnight, according to a report filed with police. The rabbits were of various breeds, all purebreds.

Eighty rabbits were taken from the place of Roy McCullen, 1016 West Bishop street, according to a report filed with police. They were Flemish Giants and Chinchillas.

From the hutch of A. J. Dunn, 920 South Shelton street, thieves made away with 26 rabbits, 23 young and three old ones. Most were Chinchillas.

Several officers have been detailed to make investigations of the thefts.

**DETOUR IN SOUTH**  
A report received by the touring bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California states that due to paving from Spring Valley in San Diego county, to a point 3.7 miles east, it is necessary to detour by way of La Mesa and El Cajon to the junction of the Dehesa road and thence south.

**MORE ROYALTY COMING**  
STOCKHOLM, Dec. 24.—Another royal visitor will be in the United States shortly, but the plus hats and spats can remain where they were put when Queen Marie left. Prince William, of Sweden, will tour as a private gentleman, studying the people and avoiding official functions as much as possible.

**Golden Anniversary Celebration 1876—1926**

**United Presbyterian Church**

Sixth at Bush

Wilbert H. McPeak, D. D., Minister

9:30—Bible School. Classes for all ages.

11:00—Worship

Golden Anniversary Sermon

By Dr. John Elliott Wishart, San Francisco Seminary, San Anselmo, Calif.

Quarter—"Send Out Thy Light!".....(Gounod)

Offertory—"The Golden Wedding".....(Gabriel-Marie)

Solo—"There's a Song in the Air".....(Speaks)

Mrs. Anna Schweissinger

6:00—Christian Endeavor Groups

7:00 Popular Service

The Ministers' Evening

Message—"The Church—Its Fellowships"—Rev. T. J. C. Webster, 1875-1905.

Greetings from Rev. M. M. Kilpatrick, D. D., 1895-1905.

Message—"The Golden Wedding".....(Gabriel-Marie)

D. 1914-1923.

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY MUSICAL

Monday Evening

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY BANQUET

Tuesday Evening

**GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY****First Presbyterian Church**  
Sycamore at SixthRev. R. H. Silverthorn, Asst. Pastor  
Director Religious Education

9:30 a. m.—Bible School

11 o'clock—Morning Worship

Sermon—Old Lights on New Roads

Rev. Robert N. McLean, D. D.

MUSIC—Organ—"Trumpet Voluntary".....(Purcell)  
"Elegy".....(Woodward)  
Quartet—"Blow Ye the Trumpet in Zion".....(Woodman)  
Baritone Solo—"Great Peace Have They Which Love Thy Law".....(Rogers)

6:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor

7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship

Sermon—Missionary Touring in New Mexico

Rev. Robert N. McLean, D. D.

MUSIC—Overture to "Lohengrin".....(Wagner)  
"Devotion".....(Mansfield)  
"A Memory".....(Stebbins)  
Gospel Quartet  
Gospel Solo—"In the Garden".....(Mr. Wilde)**First Congregational Church**P. F. Schrock, Minister  
N. Main at Seventh

9:45 a. m.—Church School

At the Forum Mrs. Stearns will read Millikan's article in "Yale Review,"—  
"THE EVOLUTION OF RELIGION"11 a. m.—Christmas Musical Service  
The Choir will give the Christmas cantata, "The Heavenly Message."—(Lang)6 p. m.—Pilgrim League of Youth  
Mrs. Robert G. Horn will read the once-act drama, "DUST OF THE ROAD," by Kenneth Sawyer Goodman. A Christmas drama with a modern setting.7 p. m.—Popular Evening Service  
Motion Picture—"LOVEY MARY"  
From the book by Alice Hegan Rice

Sermon Topic—"Imaginary Folks Are Real"—e. g. Mrs. Wiggs and Santa Claus"

**The First Christian Church**

Bible School 9:30 a. m.

C. E. Phillips, Director

Young Married People's Class—Cabin

Ladies' Class—Community House

Men's Class, West Coast Theater, 9:30 a. m.

Preaching 10:45 a. m. Subject:

"THE CHRIST"

Christian Endeavors—6 p. m.

Preaching—7 p. m. Subject:

"Seeking the Lost"



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Christmas

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WILL our wishes  
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of all your other  
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# Woman's Page

Birthdays  
Weddings  
Receptions By Eleanor Young Elliott Phone Nine-O. Social News Fashion Hints

Third Annual Register  
Christmas Party Is  
Usual Success

For the third successive year, at the last minute before Christmas, metaphorically speaking, have all activities of the Register plant, ceased for a brief bright hour, while every member of the force, from the president of the organization down to the office boy, gathered in the main office on the first floor, to revel around the Christmas tree and exchange gifts and greetings.

The 1926 event was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock when a short program was given with Terry E. Stephenson as master of ceremonies. A new departure was seen in the attractive folders containing the program. Mr. Stephenson was both apt and merry in his introductions and announcements of the features which opened with chorus singing of "Silent Night" led by the Misses Helen Moore and Helen Lutz.

John P. Baumgartner then gave what has come to be anticipated as an annual Christmas message, and which this year, seemed to carry more geniality, yet a deeper thoughtfulness, than ever before. Mr. Baumgartner drew an analogy between his recent deafness induced by a heavy cold, and whose overcoming he noticed first by a strain of violin music, and the spiritual deafness which so often encompasses us, and which we seldom realize until a thin, sweet strain of some unknown violin of strength and goodness in the world, penetrates to the deadened hearing. This silver chord, he asserted, could be found ringing in every heart, did we but attune our ears to hear.

The remainder of his talk dealt with the attitude one should assume towards life and its problems of worries, and he suggested that if we could step a mile from our troubles we would be able to get the proper perspective, the little ones would disappear entirely and the big ones take their proper proportions. Friendships, he lauded, quoting "In a world where death is, there is no room for hate."

Mr. Stephenson then introduced a recent addition to the business staff, Miss Gene Miller who gave with talent and charm, a clever presentation of a sixth grade reading class. The number was humorous to the extreme and when Miss Miller characterized her pupils by names of various members of the staff, it added to the merriment. As an encore, she gave "Skating," a child impersonation.

The Register trio, composed of John Sylvester, George Ross and Howard Law sang two selections, "Bye, Bye, Blackbird," and "So Long Gertie" the latter to compliment Mrs. "Bart" Cook, (Gertrude Linenbard) who will sever her connections with the Register to accompany her husband to Texas. George Ross followed with a harmonica solo, and the invitation to dancing feet was irresistible, so Charley Hatcher, general custodian of the building, exemplified a number of complicated dance steps.

After a Christmas reading by Eleanor Young Elliott, John Sylvester and Howard Law played a number of ukulele numbers and then Mr. Stephenson, enacting Santa Claus, and aided by Miss Naomi Keller and Miss Letha White, distributed the quantities of gifts which added color and charm to the big Christmas tree. Most of these were exceedingly funny, hitting off fads and foibles of the different members of the force, but there were others that were true Christmas gifts, such as the handsome leather traveling bags presented Mr. Baumgartner and Harry T. Duckett, the traveler's toilet case, bill book and key holder presented Mr. Stephenson, various gifts for department heads, and the annual "Christmas card" with its musical ring of coin, for the employees from the company.

Great baskets of candy, a box of oranges sent from the Duckett grove, iced punch made by Mrs. William Hanley, were all parts of the afternoon, whose greatest gift after all, was the increased friendliness and co-operation between the various departments and individuals of the organization.

Christmas Party for  
Expression Pupils

The pretty home in Orange of Mrs. Nelson Visel, (Holly Lash Visel) was the scene of a friendly affair yesterday afternoon when older members of the hostess' expression classes were honored at a Christmas party.

An informal program added to the pleasure of the affair, as did attractive gifts prepared by Mrs. Visel for each of the score or more of her guests. As the afternoon drew to a close, dainty sandwiches and Christmas cakes were served with tea. Mrs. Harry Brackett presiding behind the silver tea urn.

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## WHY NOT A BOOK FOR A FRIEND SOMEWHAT HARD TO PLEASE?

By ALLENE SUMNER  
NEA Service Writer

This world needs a new book story. But none being handy, we join that vast horde of those who revive each Christmastide the one and only good book story.

You know how it goes. Two girls—let's have 'em chorus girls this time—were going over their Christmas lists.

"Gee, what'll I give Betty? She's got just everything," said Chorine A.

"Oh, give her a book!" added Chorine B.

"But she's got a book!" came back Chorine A.

Now the story is worth this re-  
vival, with or without monkey glands, because I believe the real point has been overlooked.

It proved that Chorine A was no dumb dora. She knew her clients. She recognized Betty for what she was—a girl to whom a book was just something to set a flower pot upon, and since she didn't have two flower pots, what's the use of two books?

**Betty Got Step-ins**

So Chorine A listed Betty for apricot crepe step-ins and violet toilet water, and proved what a smart gal was she.

First of all, then, in buying Christmas books we assume that you know your clients as the chorine did. You are buying a book not for people who think of a book as something to hoist little Willie upon in the high chair, or put like a hunk of ham between two slices of elephant bronze bookends. But you decide to buy books for people who recognize books as personalities, and to whom a book is in no sense as good as another.

Books are so different, and people are so different that there are few captions under which books can be grouped. You can't say "Books for Men," and "Books for Women," or "Books for Aunts," and "Books for Uncles."

We all know men who love fudge and women who do on strong cigarettes, and by the same token there are men who like love stories full of nightingales singing in the moonlight and there are women who take their biography strong.

The only way of approach then is to give personality to the book, and you who know your Pa, and your Ma and your Aunt Emma and your cousin Ignace can match books to 'em.

Let us consider the newer fiction first:

We start off with what might be classified as "womanly fiction," dainty, well-written stories for the most part by or about women. But don't make the mistake of giving any of these titles to any woman. The woman you know might like the travel or biography of Cousin Willie with his delight in the well-turned phrase and a pretty girl who would gobble up.

"Introduction to Sally," by the author of "Elizabeth and Her German Garden." There is no thrilling plot in her tales. But they are the cleverest things ever written.

"Portia Marries," by Jeannette Madox Roberts—story of "poor white trash" and the girl, Ellen Chesser, who seeks beauty in muck. A love story as powerful and beautiful as Hardy's "Tess of the D'Urbervilles."

"Her Son's Wife," by Dorothy Canfield—the disaster of a son who brings home to his fine and coarse mother a wife who is coarse and ignorant, and the inevitable tragedy of three—four—lives wrecked. All mothers of sons will enjoy this book.

**A Love Story Awry**

"Perella," by William Locke. Set in Florence. Perella is a copyist of the old masters in the galleries. A love story that goes all awry but comes unknotted somehow. "Perella" is the sort of book you stay up nights to read and then wish for another one like it.

"Shane," by Roger Burleigh. The story of a girl who battled her way from poverty to wealth, but became "business hard" and denied love and the warmth of all human relationships. Business women will like the story of Susan, the caterer, also—

"Portia Marries," by Jeannette Madox Roberts, the first story, so far as we know, of a married woman who keeps her job outside the home and makes a howling success of both home and business, also—

"Through Many Windows," by Helen Woodward—one of the best "career" stories ever written. The heroine is an advertising copy writer who pulled some big stunts. This book is autobiographical rather than fictitious.

There are three books by Louis Untermeyer which would make a wonderful triplet gift, if you cared to. But any one of them is complete in itself. "The Green Bay Tree," "Possession" and "Early Autumn." The last and the newest is the story of three women—Sabine, ruthless, complete in herself, taking what she wants while

"Portia Marries," by Jeannette Madox Roberts—story of "poor white trash" and the girl, Ellen Chesser, who seeks beauty in muck. A love story as powerful and beautiful as Hardy's "Tess of the D'Urbervilles."

"The Painted Room," by Margaret Wilson, a former Pulitzer prize-winner, will delight those who read her "The Kenworthys" and wondered what happened next. Also a complete story in itself of a restless girl of today.

With all due respect to the above "womanly fiction books," the following are meatier stuff that might appeal to those who want more than a bedtime book.

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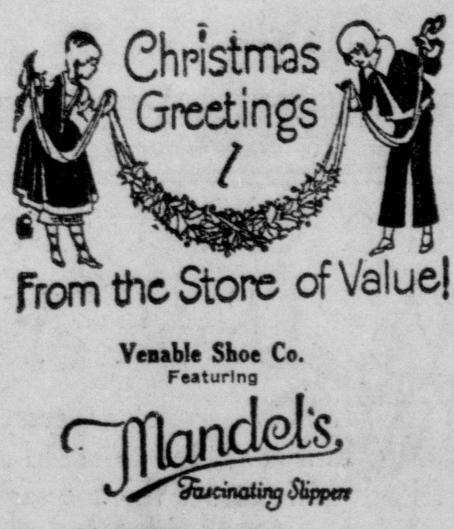
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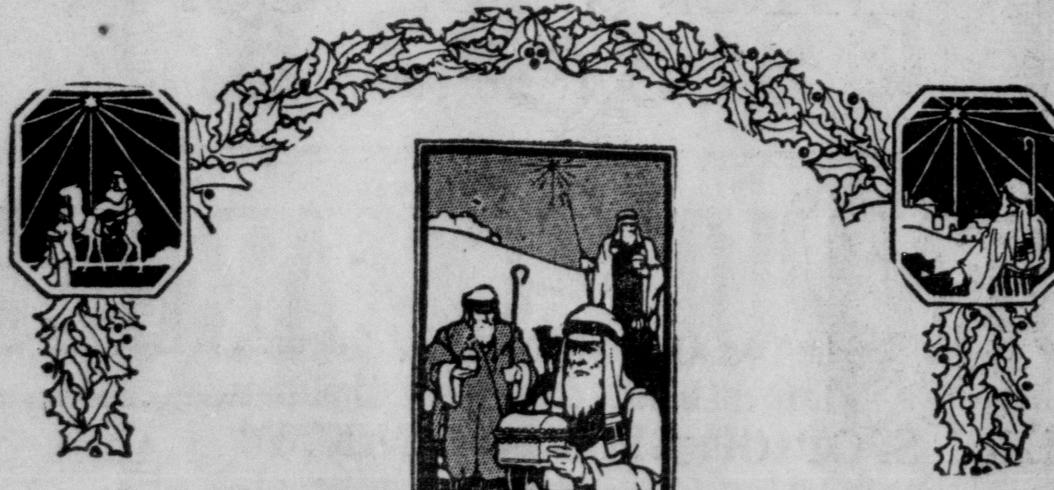
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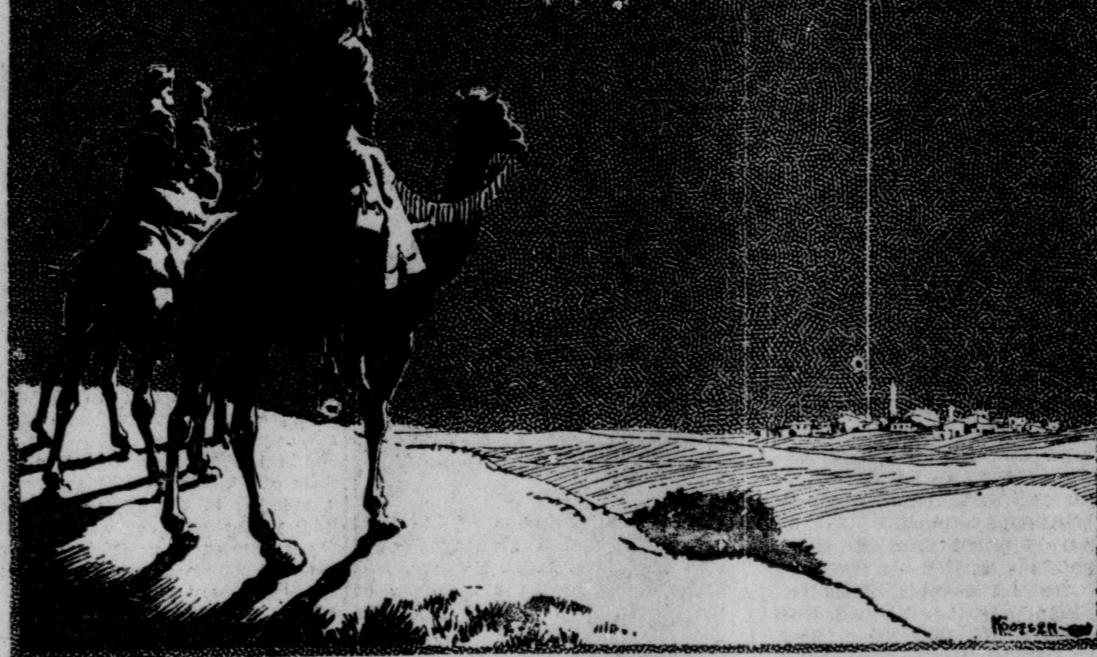
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The everlasting light;  
The hopes and fears of all the years  
Are met in thee tonight.

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## Southern California Gardens

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## ARTICLE XII

One of the greatest impressions upon a stranger entering a locality is the avenue and parkway plantings. The particular city or country-side with beautiful trees or shrubs lining the streets or roadsides, extends a pleasing invitation to the newcomer.

Some sections of our country are favored by natural scenery and native trees, or possess beautiful avenues by virtue of the early dates of civilization. In Southern California, we have a vast and growing section where any added beauty must come from the hands of man. Therefore, wise and abundant plantings may be carried on very extensively.

It is with pleasure that we point to our few avenues of magnificent shade trees, whose plantings date back to the days of early settlement, and yet each year sees the extermination of trees that it has taken decades to produce. Greater care should be exercised to preserve these landmarks of beauty and careful consideration should be given to development that may be accomplished without destroying what little mature growth we have.

The following paragraphs are devoted to some of the suitable planting or avenue trees.

## Pepper Trees

The schinus molle, or old familiar California pepper tree, is despised by many and it takes a good deal of nerve to openly advocate its planting, but the mature trees found in various sections of Southern California, lining the roadsides, are always lending their beauty and shade, much to the appreciation of the tourists. Also,

they are one type of tree planting by which California is distinguished from other states. The memory of a view of a pepper avenue will long linger with the tourist, and be revived when other sections are traveled.

One great objection is the litter formed beneath the tree. This is true in the cities, where lawns and sidewalks prevail. The average resident has so much pride of home that he is favored by the added beauty of a shade tree or not. Furthermore, with but few exceptions, any shade tree will produce more or less litter.

Another accusation against this tree is that it is a host to scale and means of increasing its spread rapidly. It is guilty of being a host, as are a number of others, but as for increasing its spread, that is a problem for discussion. Upon observing a citrus grove adjoining a pepper avenue and another widely separated from it, with all other conditions being equal, you will not perceive any appreciable difference. Scale has been caught 100 feet in the air by experiment, showing one means of its spread. Most well cultivated groves require scale treatment regardless of location, so why condemn the pepper.

The pepper tree requires but little description. It is a rapid growing evergreen, with a dense fern-like foliage which offers a drooping appearance. The female trees bear clusters of bright red cherries in profusion. Its soil requirements are well adapted to practically all of Southern California.

## Eucalyptus

Another common genus for parking is the eucalyptus in its various species. While there are about 400 different families of eucalyptus, only a few of them are to be found. Nearly every one thinks of the commonly called blue gum when eucalyptus is mentioned.

## Sugar Gum

Eucalyptus corynocalyx, or sugar gum, is used quite extensively when a large tree is desired. This is a very hardy variety. When planted in groves, it is desirable because the branches are formed higher than some and if spaced about 30 feet apart, a nice bushy tree results. It is a rapid grower and very stately.

## Viminalis

Eucalyptus viminalis, or manna gum, is a beautiful drooping type. In Australia, it will attain a height of some 300 feet, while in California, due perhaps, to the younger

trees, they are found to be about 100 feet.

## Ficifolia

The crimson flowering gum or eucalyptus ficifolia, is one of the most beautiful flowering types. The foliage is large, heavy, and deep-veined. The clusters of flaming red flowers are very effective.

This tree is very small in comparison to other eucalyptus, but attains a very suitable size for parkings.

## Leucoxylon Rosea

Another flowering tree is the eucalyptus leucoxylon rosea with its long lance-shaped foliage, and clusters of pink flowers. The young foliage is quite oval shaped and of a light bluish-green color. It makes a splendid tall tree.

## Ceba

Perhaps the most satisfactory eucalyptus with the extremely narrow willow-like foliage, is the crebra, or desert gum. It is extremely hardy and makes a striking effect in avenue plantings.

The next article will take up other types of trees. The fact that eucalyptus and pepper trees have been mentioned first does not make them the most important for avenue plantings.

## S. A. STUDENTS TO ATTEND Y. SESSION

Delegates of the Santa Ana junior college Y. M. C. A. will leave here tomorrow for Asilomar, Monterey, to attend the annual Pacific southwest conference of college students. More than 300 students are expected to register for the conference sessions, extending throughout next week.

The two Fullerton delegates will go to the conference in company with the Santa Ana delegation.

The party will stop at the home of McKee Fisk, advisor, in Glendale, Christmas night, leaving early Sunday for the north. The registration of delegates and the first general meeting will be held Sunday afternoon.

Seven students from Santa Ana, accompanied by McKee Fisk and Lloyd Ross, Anaheim instructor, will attend.

Members of the Santa Ana delegation will be Lon McIntire, Ross Fields, Ray Grise, Alfred Ault, Melvin Harter, William Homan and Allen Goddard. Santa Ana has the largest delegation of any of the state junior colleges, it is believed.

## SHIP IN DISTRESS

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 23.—Disabled off Cedros Island, Lower California, the 75-foot fishing schooner Horizon sent a request to San Diego for aid today. The schooner carries a crew of about eight men.

## YULE PROGRAM IS ENJOYED BY LUNCHEON CLUB

Vocal and instrumental numbers, appropriate to the Yuletide season, were given during the program hour at the Lions club meeting yesterday, with D. C. Clanton directing this feature.

Participants in the musical program were the Misses Lorene Croddy, Georgia Bell Walton, Margaret McPeak and Aileen Lair. Miss Mary Clanton entertained with a reading, "While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks at Night." Clanton delighted the Lions with his trombone solos.

Following a custom established by the club, members yesterday contributed toys for distribution to the poor. The gifts were distributed to the members and visitors present and opening of the packages created considerable mirth. Later the gifts were gathered for delivery to some organization for distribution to the poor children of the city.

Joseph A. Allason, director of the Orange county personality pageant, and G. A. Durlam, author and president of the Story Writer's association, were guests and made brief talks. Miss Ruth Addison, who is to write a series of articles on Orange county communities, during development of the pageant, was introduced.

Mason Youell was program chairman.

## Farmer Jailed In Bombing of Home

MERCED, Calif., Dec. 24.—Tonnini, Italian farmer, was held in the county jail here, on a charge of attempting to commit murder, when he bombed the home of Vic Cordella and Louis Bandoni. The house was badly damaged by the explosion, but neither Cordella nor Bandoni was injured.

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## PRESBYTERIANS PLAN PROGRAM FOR 'BIRTHDAY'

Members of the United Presbyterian church today were anticipating with delight the first of the series of events scheduled for celebration of the golden anniversary of the establishment of the church here.

The church was founded on Dec. 26, 1876, and three of the 15 charter members will be present Sunday, when the fiftieth anniversary sermon will be delivered at the church, at 11 a. m., by the Rev. John Elliott Wishart, the chaplain of church history, San Francisco seminary, San Anselmo, Calif. Mrs. James McFadden, of Altadena, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thompson, of Santa Ana, are three persons who were in the group which founded the church. The Rev. Mr. Wishart has visited Santa Ana on other occasions and is said to be an eminent scholar in church history and the Old Testament.

Sunday night will be "ministers' night," and at that time messages will be given from all former pastors of the church, the Rev. T. J. C. Webster, 1879-83; the Rev. M. Kilpatrick, 1895-1905, the Rev. W. L. C. Samson, 1906-13, and the Rev. J. G. Kennedy, 1914-23. The Revs. Mr. Webster and Mr. Kennedy will be present to speak to the congregation and the other two pastors will be represented by letters.

Monday night, at 8 o'clock, the double quartet, directed by T. Harry Warne, will present the Christmas cantata, "The Cradle of Bethlehem," by Irene Berge. This musical number will be augmented by selections by other Santa Ana musicians.

Tuesday night, the golden anniversary banquet will be held in the church dining room. Arrangements are being made for entertainment of a large number of former members in the homes of Santa Ana members of the congregation.

## GOVERNOR TO HEAD ROUND WORLD TRIP

Gov. Friend W. Richardson and family will head a party of over 100 prominent Californians on a trip around the world. The governor's party will leave Los Angeles harbor on Feb. 5, 1927, sailing on the new Cunard liner California, which has been chartered by Frank Clark, famous world cruise man. The entire cruise will be under the direction of Clark. This cruise marks the sixth successful cruise directed by Clark.

Honolulu will be the first port touched after leaving Los Angeles. From there, Japan, China, Philippine Islands, Malay Straits, Burma, India, Egypt, the Holy Land, Greece and Italy will be visited. The party then will make an extensive and comprehensive tour of Europe, visiting all points of interest.

Every side tour will be under the direct guidance of a native trained guide, as well as one of the regular Frank Clark guides.

Practically half the governor's party will be made up of prominent Southern California residents.

## LINE KEPT OPEN UNTIL MIDNIGHT

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 24.—The Tia Juana border will be open until midnight instead of the customary 6 o'clock, every night from December 24 to January 1, inclusive.

This was announced by F. A. Markley, U. S. customs inspector at the border, following receipt of official instructions from the Los Angeles office of the treasury department.

Markley said he expected also to receive orders direct from the department in Washington.

The border has been closed at 6 p. m. since the Petete family suicides attracted nation-wide attention, several months ago. For a time, it remained closed until 8 a. m. but recently the opening hour was advanced to 6 a. m.

Special horse racing cards are being offered for the holidays at the Tia Juana track. There will be Christmas and New Year's special handicaps, and on the latter date the new crop of 2-year-olds will have their first "baby race."

### CLUB URGES CAUTION

The Mountain Springs grade, between San Diego and El Centro, is still under construction and only half of the road at present is in use, and careful driving is required, advises the touring bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California.

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## CHRISTMAS JOYS AND TOYS; MANY PLACES, HAPPY FACES; LAST MINUTE IMPRESSIONS

### Just wandering around—

In and out among the Christmas buyers; back and forth between the groceries, the candy shops, the meat shops where great turkeys lie trussed and waiting the roasting pan, one sees interesting sights in this last mad, exciting, colorful day before Christmas, just wandering around.

There is one store on Fourth street where, in the entrance, have been stacked a fascinating assortment of red wheelbarrows, little trucks and glittering wagons. But best of all was the contrivance with its comfortable seat at the end of a slender length of springing steel. "Cal Coolidge's mechanical horse," it was labeled.

And just wandering around, this is what one might see: A little boy, perhaps a large 8 years or a small 10 in age, more probably the latter than the former. Possibly his life had not had too much of childhood joys. Possibly he had read the western cowboy romances and dreamed of galloping off across the plains on a cow-pony with silver-studded saddle and braided horsehair bridle.

At any rate, he was swinging up and down through the air on the toy, his ragged little coat open to the chill air, his mop of blonde hair waving wildly in his eyes, and those eyes glittering with dreams.

**She Lost Her Bankbook**

Just wandering around, I saw a pale faced young girl, asking eagerly at the desk of a downtown eating place, if anyone had turned in the bankbook she had lost while at luncheon. She was cashier for a leading firm, but, dazed with the press of Christmas, had dropped or mislaid the book—and it had several checks in it which might cause her firm—and incidentally herself—much worry, were they not returned to the proper parties. One left her worry and her fear of trust betrayed—just wandering around.

What a frenzied place the handkerchief counter of a big store can be at the last moment of Christmas shopping! Just wandering around, one can see women frenziedly selecting the "proper" tints and bit of handwork until, finally, the need of the article itself without discrimination as to color and appearance, becomes uppermost, and almost any kind is selected at random.

"I hope I shall never buy another handkerchief as long as I live!" one discouraged woman said.

Just wandering around was a tall, blue-eyed chap. His corduroy breeches were considerably the worse for wear. A once brilliant-colored mackinaw was faded through time and usage, to the softest of dimmed rods and browns, and the shock of sun-tanned hair beneath an old Stetson, hadn't seen a barber for many moons. He was thoroughly enjoying the crowd, eating an apple as he strode along, and with keen, bright, interested eyes, taking in all the glitter and the rush, storing up memories to take back to ranger station or cattle camp, as he was just wandering around.

**Rose Too Expensive**

She was such a dear little, quaint little, time-touched little old lady—just wandering around. Her little black hat was a rusty straw and had but a single dimpled bow on it. A thin but neat black coat was buttoned snugly around her shrunken form. A bit of fur that was almost mangy, was fastened with a long pin about her throat. Her aggressive companion paused to look at pocket comb and she herself wandered on to the counter where flowers for fur or corsage were shown. She picked one up, a delicately tinted rose with a cluster of pale blue flowers. Her eyes brightened. "It'd be so purty for Millie," she said. And then she looked at a little bag clutched in one hand. It was such a shabby little bag. The seams were open and patches of the original patent-leather finish had worn away, showing the white muslin foundation. And it was pitifully thin—as thin as its owner. She sighed, and laying the rose down with one last longing look, continued—just wandering around.

Somehow it seems that so few children of today, talk "baby talk," but just wandering around, we saw a little wild rose of a girl whose chestnut curls flew unbobbed beneath her little knitted tam, and whose eyes, a deeper, more golden brown than her curls, burned with excitement and delight.

"Are you looking forward to Santa Claus?" she was asked, and the excitement of Christmas dissipated a natural shyness as she nodded her head so vigorously that the curls danced like sprites.

"And I am doing to have a Trissman tree and I'll hang up my stockings and have a dolly and see Santa Claus," she assured. It must have been her grandmother with her, a wholesome pleasant-faced woman with a pronounced German race.

"I think she will have plenty of presents, she is the only one," she said, with a smile, as we continued

just wandering around.

**Girls So Tired**

Such tired crowds we saw—just wandering around. But oh, the weary eyes of the girls behind the counters! Their cheeks still bravely flew the colors of freshness and youth, but there are no magic little pots of rouge that can restore the sparkle to eyes jaded with weary toil. The weeks of trying to please fastidious shoppers, the weeks of remaining calm and courteous under the most trying conditions, seem to culminate in this zero hour of the Christmas rush.

And tonight, when the excited children cry, "Oh, the night is so long—I wish morning would hurry and come!" there are hundreds of weary girls who will sink to sleep—if they are not too tired might stretch into twice or three times their accustomed length—and that they might never need to gaze again on crowds of milling shoppers—just wandering around.

—just wandering around.

**Police Watch for  
Bad Check Artists**

Police here have been asked to watch for two alleged bad check artists, who are said to have been working in towns in Southern California and who were headed this way when last seen.

One is James L. Hill, 35, who is traveling with a Mrs. Hill and who is said to have stolen \$250 worth of checks from the Pacific Wrecking company, San Bernardino, yesterday.

The other is Fred W. Schofield, 21, who claims to be a professional golfer, wanted in Riverside on a charge of passing worthless checks. Schofield is thought to have come to Santa Ana.

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Today's interesting news is broadcast to the women of Orange County telling about the great Van Antwerp Clearance sale, which begins Monday morning. It is an event rich in value giving. Every department will participate in this big sale, making it an opportune time to supply your needs at prices that are amazingly low. All holiday merchandise will bear drastic markdowns rather than be carried over. New merchandise in certain lines has been added to complete our stocks in order that your wants may be taken care of completely.

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**Sale of Turkish Towels**

Large size Turkish Towels, which include the Cannon quality, will be offered at this low price. Fancy Novelty Towels included. Sale price .....

39c

**Outing Flannels  
Reduced!**

27-Inch Daisy Flannel, white only. Feature price beginning Monday..... 18½c  
36-Inch Colored Outing..... 22½c  
Regular 30c. Sale price ..... 25c quality .....

18½c  
22½c  
19c

Electric Boudoir  
Lamps \$1.79

All remaining lamps, sold separately at \$2.98 and \$3.49 will be sold at the price of \$1.79; 5 ft. cord extension.

Organie  
Pillows  
\$1.95 and \$2.95  
Complete pillow — regular \$2.75 and \$3.75; assorted pastel shades.

Velour & Taffeta  
Pillows 1/4 Less  
Balance of pillows will be sold at one-fourth less regular price.



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*Fourth and Sycamore*

# JANUARY SALE

Begins Monday, Dec. 27th, 9 A. M.

## HALF PRICE DRESS SALE!



Below are quoted remarkable reductions which will warrant a quick Clearance of all garments. Our ready-to-wear department offers all Winter Dresses and Coats at Drastic Reductions.

### Better Dresses Reduced

All the better dresses in our entire stock priced at  
**\$29.50 TO \$49.50**  
**1/4 OFF**

### Half Price Silk Dresses

\$19.75 DRESSES	\$9.88
Reduced to	
\$16.50 DRESSES	\$8.25
Reduced to	
\$12.50 DRESSES	\$6.25
Reduced to	



### Cloth Dresses 1/2 Price

Every cloth dress will bear one half reduction, beginning Monday. At this clearaway price they will not remain long. Come early and have a choice selection.

No Returns—No Refunds—All Sales Final

### Clearance Sale Winter Coats

Regularly \$29.75 Values

All winter coats are priced to sell immediately. Made of Pin Point and Velour and Fur trimmed. This special group of coats are attractively priced. Sale price .....

**\$1675**

### Winter Dress Coats

Already priced low at \$59.50 to \$95.00.

**1/4 Off**

### Children's Coats

Reduced 1/3

These quality garments trimmed with beautiful fur and silk lined are styled to fit, therefore at one-fourth less you will find it worth your while to buy a good coat during this sale. All better coats One-Fourth Off the regular price.

No Returns—No Refunds—All Sales Final

### Wool Dress Goods Greatly Reduced

**\$1.98 Yard**

A special clearance of Wool Fabrics in 44-inch and 54-inch widths, in assorted colors, will be offered beginning Monday. Sale price, \$1.98 yard.

### Artificial Flowers At Clearance Prices 39c to 69c

All Artificial Flowers and Boutonnieres priced at 59c and 98c, will be closed out at the above prices.

### Pequot Cases 35c Ea. Size 42x36—Best quality. Sale price 35c each.

### Wool or Wool and Cotton Mixed Dress Goods, 98c yd

Crepes, striped fabrics, Twills in the light and dark colors. Sale price, 39c and 98c.

### Semi-Made Dresses 89c

A large range of designs all segregated in a compact way, will be offered at a very attractive price. No limit. While they last, 89c each.

**Lady Pepperell  
and Pequot  
Sheets**

A wonderful sheet; a wonderful value; regulation size. No better sheet made. Clearance price, \$1.35.

## Sale of Silks

Outstanding values in silks; our annual offer. Note the savings available during this sale.

40-Inch Crepe de Chine, pure dye, pure silk, offered in the leading shades. No limit. An extremely low price .....

**\$1.19**

Hanor Pongee, blue edge quality. None better; pure silk; 20 shades; our standard. Regular grade. Sale price .....

**98c**

All Silk Domestic Pongee, a heavy quality in wanted colors. Supply your needs for some time to come. Sale price .....

**89c**

12-Momme Jap Pongee, our standard high quality; Red stamp of the heavier grade. Sale price .....

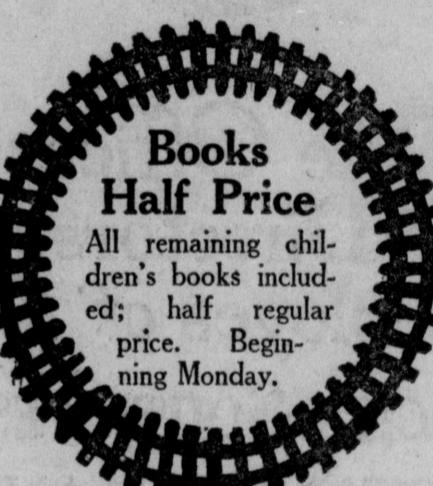
**50c**

Baronette Satin, all rayon thread. Twenty colors, making our range complete. A very low price during our clearance sale.

Priced at .....

**79c**

*Every  
Sales Item  
a  
Winner.  
Buy  
Liberally  
During  
This  
Big  
Event  
and Save.*



### Books Half Price

All remaining children's books included; half regular price. Beginning Monday.



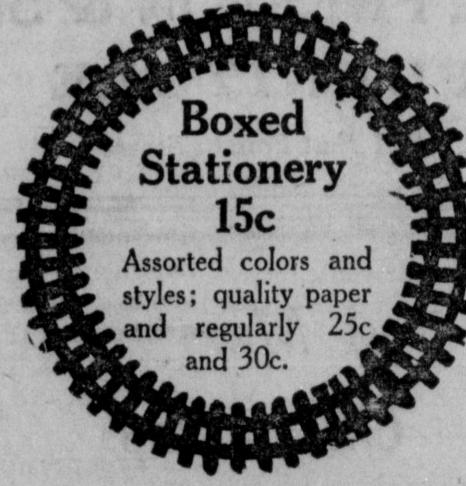
### Dolls Half Price

All regular price dolls included. Buy at a huge saving.



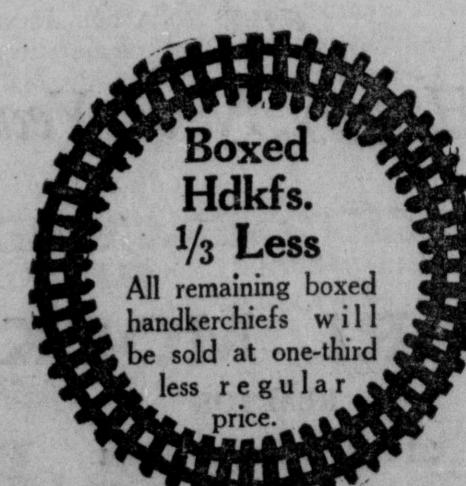
### Novelty Baskets 50c

Regular 98c. Special clearance price; assorted and decorated.



### Boxed Stationery 15c

Assorted colors and styles; quality paper and regularly 25c and 30c.

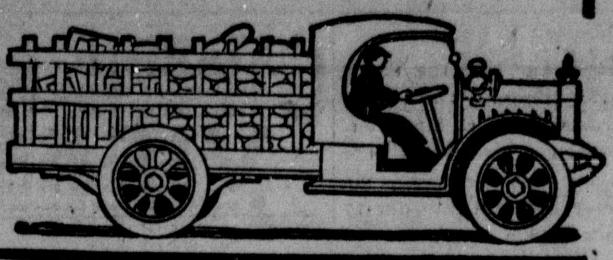


### Boxed Hdks. 1/3 Less

All remaining boxed handkerchiefs will be sold at one-third less regular price.

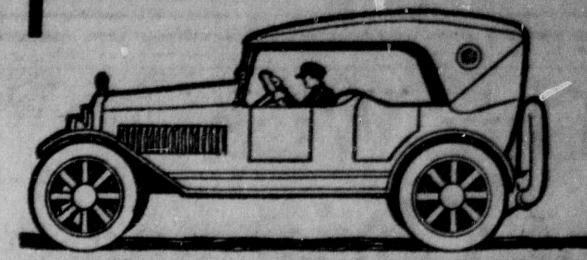
*All Left Over Holiday Merchandise Will Bear a Heavy Mark Down Beginning Monday*

*Van Antwerp's*



# Santa Ana Register

## AUTOMOTIVE SECTION



SECTION TWO

### ORANGE COUNTY SHOWS GAIN IN NEW CAR SALES FOR NOVEMBER

Auto Registration Total For Month Reaches 474, With Ford Leading List

#### CHEVROLET IS SECOND

Report Discloses State Loss Of 23 Per Cent in All Motor Vehicle Types

Orange county stepped into the limelight of the automotive world, with publication by the Motor Registration News of the fact that it is the only county in the 15 leading volume counties in the state which showed a gain in new car sales in November, as against the record for the corresponding month of 1925.

Recapitulation of registrations by the News reveals that 474 new car registrations were made by the county in November. Figures for November, 1925, were 466. The 15 leading counties is determined by the volume of registration, and the record made for last month places this county sixth in the column.

With the 123 registrations, the Ford led the list of new car sales in the county, the Chevrolet being second with 66 cars, and the Buick third with 52. The Chrysler was fourth, with 34.

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"This is a direct contrast, or in other words, quite a loss when it is compared with the 17,896 registered in the month just closed. The shortage amounts to 5350 vehicles—a 23 per cent decrease in sales. This has been the largest decrease suffered this year in this state.

"Northern California's loss is almost one-half of that of Southern California. The percentage decrease, as it is figured on the sales of passenger and commercial vehicles for northern California, is set at 15 per cent. This represents a shortage in sales of 1328 when the sales of November of last year amounted to 8803. The number of these vehicles finding new owners in the month of November, 1926, was 7475.

"Southern California a year ago

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### Do License Shopping Real Early!

*Do your auto license shopping early!*

This is the warning being broadcast by Elmer Heidt, of the local office of the Automobile Club of Southern California, which, as usual, will co-operate with the motor vehicle department in issuing new license plates for 1927.

Only one month is allowed for the issuance of the new plates. This is the month of January, 1927, and beginning Monday, January 3, the big motoring organization will start issuing licenses to its members and out of state motorists.

### YULE PARTY IS FUN FEAST FOR RILEY 'HANDS'

The Harry D. Riley Studebaker club held its eighth annual Christmas banquet and party at the Concordia Club, Anaheim, in a beautifully decorated banquet room.

Places were set for 112 people and the tables were arranged in a V shape, with smaller tables placed in the center, along with a beautifully decorated Christmas tree.

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### AUTO DEALERS PLEASED WITH 1926 PROFITS

#### Used Car Problem Still Main Barrier to Bigger Earnings, Expert Says

Automobile dealers throughout the nation have made less than three per cent profit on the net volume of sales during 1926, according to preliminary figures gathered by the National Automobile Dealers' Association. Statistics indicate that the net profit, at that, will be greater than for 1925.

Statistics for 1925 reveal that Ford dealers had an average gross volume of new sales of \$82,400; non-Ford dealers, \$55,800, and that the five lines of dealers having the highest gross profit averaged \$23,600 per dealer.

#### Higher Sales Volume

According to the association, the best dealers in 1925 had an average net profit of 3.6 per cent on total sales volume. It is predicted the average sales volume for 1926 will be higher than for 1925.

This is more or less apropos to the declaration by James Dalton, industrial authority of "Motor" magazine, that "greater concentration of business in the hands of 25 or 30 companies is becoming more obvious, and several eliminations from the passenger car field are in prospect."

Dalton says the dealer situation shows little change. He declares that new car sales are satisfactory for the dealers handling "standard" lines, but that most of the profits are being consumed by trading losses. In this he is emphasizing declarations of dealers that satisfactory profits on new cars cannot be made until the problem of the used car is settled. Taking in new cars used automobiles at prices higher than the seconds can be sold for, has been the ruination of many dealers, and is one of the factors that have contributed to financial wrecking of many agencies.

#### See Sharp Competition

"Concentration of business will be the result of inability for the larger number of producers to find satisfactory retail outlets," comments the expert.

"This attrition will bring even sharper competition among the 'big fellows' and their near neighbors. The public will benefit, as in the past. Quantity producers have been supplying dealers with three and four lines of cars in different price classes—an effort to hold position in the industry, but also partly from necessity to make it possible for dealers to expand volume to offset used car losses and allow them to stay in business."

### Dept. of Interior Establishes New Yosemite Reserve

The only reserve of its kind in the United States has just been set aside in the High Sierras of Yosemite National park, according to an announcement made by the Department of the Interior. An area of seven square miles is reserved as a complete perpetual reservation in which the flora and fauna always will be left in their primitive state. Admission will be by special permission only, and then only for the purpose of making scientific studies or in connection with the administration of the area.

Riley was presented with a beautiful dinner gong, the gift of the wives and sweethearts of the Riley employees.

William Kintz was chairman of the general committee. Homer Black was in charge of the eats.

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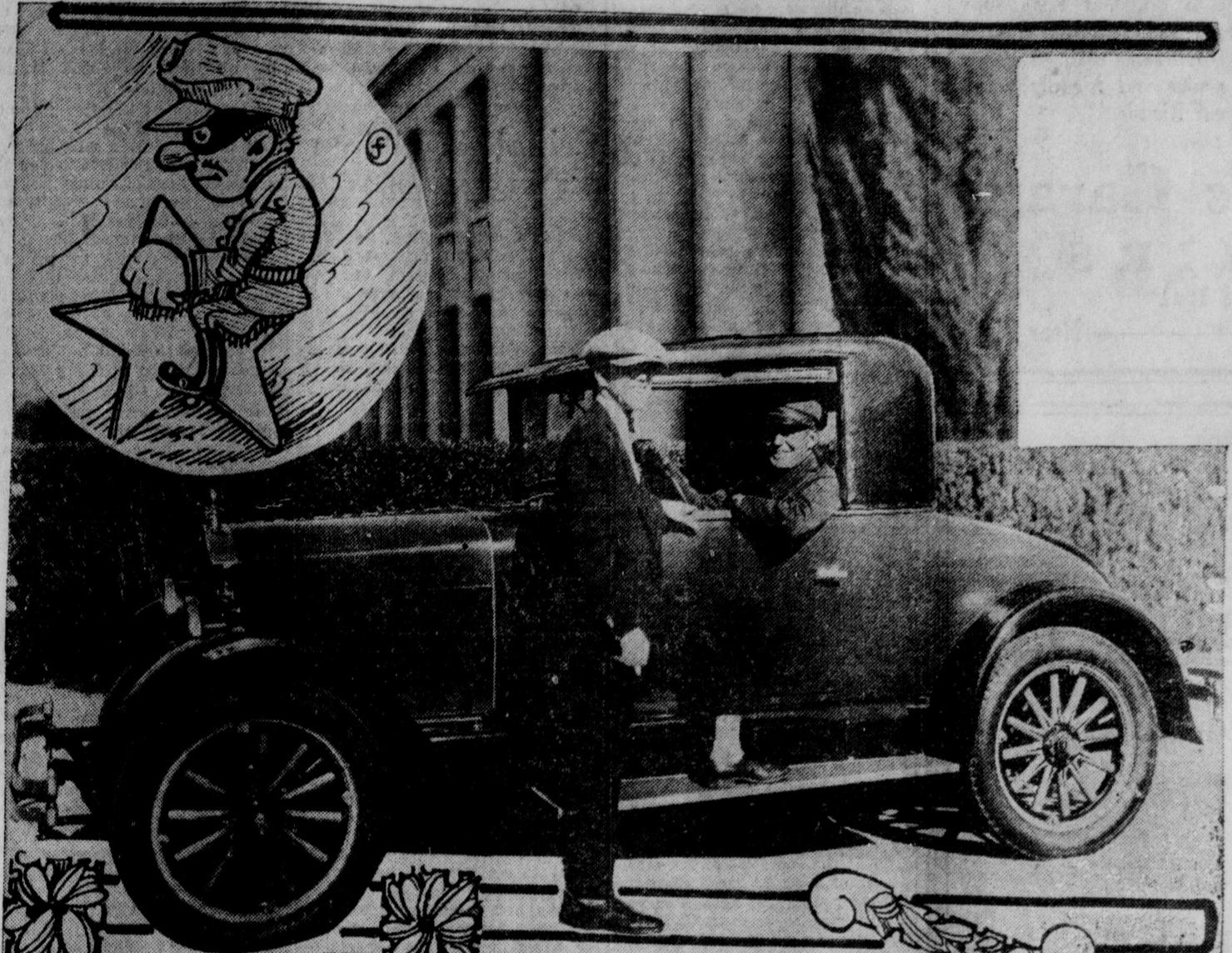
Corner Fourth and Main

Evenings by Appointment

X-Ray Gas Given

No Charge for Examination and Estimate

### CITY MOTOR OFFICERS PURCHASES STAR COUPSTER WITH WHICH TO CHASE DRIVERS WITH HEAVY THROTTLE FEET



B. A. Hershey, Santa Ana motor officer, added a star to the one he has on his chest when he bought this Star six coupester from Johnny Martin, salesman for the Santa Ana Star Sales and Service company.

### TRUCK DEALER PLEASED WITH BUSINESS HERE

### B. A. HERSHY ADMires CAR FOR ITS FINE PERFORMANCE WHEN DRIVEN THROUGH CLOUDBURST

Santa Ana highways are being patrolled by a couple of stars.

One of them is on the chest of B. A. Hershey, Santa Ana motor cop, and the other is under his foot. For Hershey recently bought a Star Six coupester from Johnny Martin, salesman for the Santa Ana Star Sales and Service company. Enforcing his authority is not difficult with all his stars.

The Santa Ana motor cop has great respect for his Star car after the performance test he gave it on a trip to Imperial to hunt ducks, when he had to cruise through a cloudburst that broke there on December 11. Hershey was accompanied on the trip by E. R. Skaggs, Santa Ana fireman, and Jack Carroll, of Tustin.

"That car is a bearcat," Hershey said. "On one occasion, as we were coming into Oasis, Riverside county, I had to flash on my red light to get authority to go through. The road crews repeatedly warned us against continuing farther, but we pulled through with half the Imperial real estate on the Star."

**Many Cars Stalled**

Cars of all descriptions were stalled along the route, he said.

At some places Hershey had to pull around other cars through sand. He sometimes had to back his car to get a push on sand that had accumulated in front of the axles.

"Every specialized hauling need in the new era of western industrial progress is met by the western-built Moreland truck," Ross commented, in stressing the point that the truck is a Southern California product, the factory being located at Burbank.

Ross disclosed today that, the first of the year, he will be exclusive use of the building at 600 West Fourth street, the Star Motor Sales and Service company having secured a lease on the building at 600 West Fourth street.

The dealer recently has become distributor for the Moon and Diana automobile lines and increased space is demanded by his expansion program.

**TIRE CHAINS ADVISED**

Motorists contemplating holiday trips into the snow-covered mountain country are advised by the Automobile Club of Southern California to take tire chains with them. Weather changes are rapid in the hills and the motorist should be prepared for emergencies.

**SALTON SEA ROAD OPEN**

The state highway route to El Centro via the Salton sea is again open for travel. There are two short detours between Coachella and Kane Springs, but no difficulty will be experienced, advises the touring bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California.

**5 Hours in Cloudburst**

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### SAYS AUTOISTS ABLE TO SAVE \$338,800.00

"Figure it any way you will, the

owners of motor cars ranging in

price from \$800 to \$2500 can either

get their gas, oil and tires without

cost, and between them can save

\$338,800.00 a year in used car

depreciation alone," says George

Ash, manager of the Willys-Over-

land company, local representatives

for Willys-Overland, Inc., manufac-

turers of the Whippet and Wil-

lys-Knight motor cars.

"Consequently, it is not sur-

prising that in many instances here

and elsewhere the family effort

for this Christmas period has been

bundled up in the one big idea of

a new automobile for Christmas.

Dealers here have commented on

the active business of the Christ-

mas period and all have expressed

themselves as satisfied with the

trade conditions.

One of the pleasing conditions

confronting those buying for this

Christmas, as compared with past

seasons, is that when they bought

a car they found the machine

virtually completely equipped with

every modern device known to the

trade. It used to be that after the

car was purchased other expendi-

tures were reasonably complete with the ac-

cessories needed for full operation.

These have been added by the

modern day manufacturer and vir-

tually without increasing the retail

price of the product. In point of

value given, it is claimed that fully

equipped cars are selling today at

much less money than was de-

manded a few years ago, when ac-

cessories were considered extras

and had to be paid for by the pur-

chaser.

Experts assert that the expe-

niture of motorists proves that the

automobile is not expensive, when

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## Our Wish at Christmas



SINCE WE ARE not able to learn in detail the desires of each of our many friends and customers, we are wishing now, as our permanent policy of good will constrains us always to do, that this happy season shall find the choicest of your dreams realized among the smiles and friendly voices of your friends.

**Van Horn's Garage REPAIRS**  
TELEPHONE 1661  
317 West Fifth Street

Near Birch

**GREETINGS**

Christmas Cheer To You Everyone

**Kay & Burbank Co.**  
EXIDE BATTERIES  
210 North Main  
SANTA ANA

## The Christmas Feast

—does not so much consist in expensive dainties as it does in the welcome presence of pleasant associations, the smiles of happiness and the prattle of delighted children.

—We wish for you that you may have all these, together with all the other joys of the season.

**MARMON SALES & SERVICE**  
C. FRANK HAMMETT—VERN E. SPEICH  
310-312 EAST FIFTH—Telephone 708

## Merry Christmas to Every Home

"There is no place like home," and this is truer at Christmas time than at any other time of the year; for when the group of loved ones gather around the Christmas fire, be it in mansion or lowly cottage, every member of the circle wants to be there. And the light from the happy faces of loved ones makes the humblest dwelling radiant.

May Christmas find you happy in a home you love.



## ORANGE COUNTY SHOWS GAIN IN NEW CAR SALES

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last month disposed of 14,448 new passenger and commercial vehicles in when contrasted with the 10,411 sales registered in the month just closed, it shows the fact that the shortage amount to 4,022. This number of sales is represented as 27 per cent loss.

Eliminating the commercial vehicles from the picture and viewing just the passenger car registrations, we find the state total loss were 26 per cent greater than when taken in the combination. This per cent loss in this case is 24 per cent.

That represents a shortage of sales amounting to 5,663. In the month just closed, 16,531 vehicles were sold and registered as new car purchases in California while a year ago the total was 21,894.

"Northern California in its passenger car comparison shows a shortage of sales amounting to 18.3, or 18 per cent less than the 8,151 registered in November of 1925. The total number of passenger cars in Northern California registered in the month just closed amount to 6,853.

Southern California's loss in the passenger end of the industry in numbers amount to 4,060 or 28 per cent. This percentage loss is two per cent greater than when taken in the combination figures, that is, when they are combined with the commercial registrations. Sales in the southern end of the state for last month amounted to 9,678, while a year ago a total of 13,738 was reached which was by far the largest month's sale of passenger cars in that territory for the last two years. The next highest peak was reached in March, 1926, and the third highest peak was October, 1926.

### Commercial Car Sales

"The commercial car industry fared a little better than that of the passenger car industry, inasmuch as the total of sales for November of 1926, 13 more than the 13,522 reached a year ago. The volume of increase is so small that it does not even register one per cent.

"Northern California in this end of the industry proves a reverse to the passenger car picture, inasmuch as it is credited with a loss, while Southern California registered a gain.

"The gain credited to Southern California is five per cent or 38 vehicles more than sold last year. Northern California's loss is three per cent, or 25 vehicles less than the amount sold in November, 1925. The total sales of commercial vehicles for northern California for November, 1926, amounts to 622, while in November, 1925, the total reached was 647.

"Southern California's November, 1926, record on commercial vehicles was 743, while the 1925 record for commercial vehicles in Southern California is 705. In both cases, their records are very, very close.

## SALES OF DODGE CARS SET RECORD

Retail deliveries of 4,419 new motor cars and trucks by Dodge Brothers dealers in United States and Canada during the week ended November 27 have exceeded all previous weekly records established during the last quarter of any year, according to L. D. Coffing, Santa Ana dealer. Compared with the previous week this year, the gain is 37.9 per cent and compared with the corresponding week of 1925, when 2,595 cars were sold, the gain is 70.3 per cent, Coffing said.

"Deliveries during the four weeks of November totaled 14,876 units, a substantial increase over the preceding four weeks of October and a gain of 3,854 units over the corresponding four weeks of November, 1925, or 35.6 per cent," commented the dealer.

## TRAIN FAILS TO BEST PONTIAC RUN

When the Santa Fe's new crack train, the Chief, raced into Los Angeles on its first run inaugurating the 68-hour service between Chicago and Los Angeles, it set a new train schedule for speed between Albuquerque, N. M., and Los Angeles, but it failed to break the remarkable record made by the Pontiac six, last spring between these two points, according to Otto Haan, of the Cadillac Garage company, Pontiac dealer. The Chief, he new train, takes 25 hours and .6 minutes to make the run, while the Pontiac six set a time record of 23 hours and 29 minutes, just lacking three minutes of slashing two hours off the best train record, Haan stated.

### OFFICIAL RENAMED

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 24.—Governor Richardson has announced the reappointment of Clarence E. Jarvis, of Sacramento, as member of the state board of education.



## Salvation Army Christmas Tree Party Tomorrow

The annual Santa Ana Salvation Army Christmas tree program will be held Christmas night in the army hall, 214 North Sycamore street, according to Capt. W. P. Du Temple, in charge of the Santa Ana corps.

Candy, toys and nuts will be distributed to the children. This year about 75 Christmas baskets, including food, clothing, toys and the usual things that go into the Yuletide baskets, will be distributed on Christmas eve, Captain Du Temple said.

The Christmas tree celebration tomorrow night will begin at 7:30.

## Crippled Children To Get \$4000 Gift

SANTA CRUZ, Calif., Dec. 24.—Santa Claus has dumped a nice little Christmas present of \$4000 into the laps of patients at the Masonic home for crippled children at Covina.

When William F. Smith, a cripple here recently, left his estate, estimated at \$9,000, to the Covina home.

But today, when Attorney Ralph H. Smith was going through the benefactor's effects, he found bank slips indicating that Smith had on deposit in a Kansas bank \$4,000, which previously had not come to light.

The sum will be added to the estate, and the whole \$13,000 will go to the children's home.

## CITY MOTOR COP BUYS STAR CAR

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eight trucks were stuck. Hershey was warned against making the attempt to get through, but he disregarded it. To get by the other cars he had to pull around in the sand with his car sinking in up to the axles in sand. A cheer went up from the stranded motorists when he emerged at the other side of the river bottom.

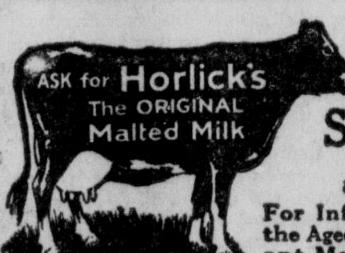
Back again on duty, Hershey is using his car to patrol Santa Ana streets. In pickup, speed and economy of operation the car completely meets his requirements for local police duties, he said.

## EIGHTS LEAD IN N. Y. AUTO SALON

The rapidly growing vogue toward the predominance of eight cylinders among the world's finest motor cars was strongly emphasized at the 20th annual New York automobile salon, recently held in the Hotel Commodore, says Dubois Young, president of the Hupp Motor Car corporation. Some 100 cars, worth \$1,000,000 were displayed, in prices ranging up to nearly \$20,000.

The Chicago edition of the salon will be held at the Drake hotel in late January and Early February, co-incident with the National Automobile show in that city.

"These salons, with their fine custom coachwork, de luxe innovations and chassis features, not only indicate the vogue among the finest custom creations, but influence the trend which is to be taken by practically every make of car manufactured," says Mr. Young. "It is, therefore, exceptionally gratifying to note that eight cylinder cars predominated this year more than ever, both in number of body models shown and in manufacturers and carrossiers who exhibited. One eight cylinder manufacturer actually provided 12 chassis."



## NEW CAR WILL MAKE HEART OF MOTORIST GLAD

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The service it renders is taken into consideration—in fact, they say that the service it renders more than offsets its cost.

The automobile is indispensable and in the closing days of 1926 manufacturers are developing their programs of production for 1927 in anticipation of the market absorbing all that can be made under present facilities.

The signs of the times point to next year being one in which several manufacturers will battle for supremacy in fields in which their products are classified. Several new light cars are scheduled for production—to be made by companies well established in the manufacturing and marketing of the higher grade machines—and these will come into competition with lines selling at the factories at around \$1,000. Better products at approximately 1926 prices is what the motor buying public may anticipate for 1927.

In closing permit me to express to my readers my sincere wish that they may have a joyous Christmas and that Old Santa will lavish in his bestowal of presents.

## NAME REO AFTER FAMOUS VESSEL

The racy, adventurous past, when iron men sailed the seven seas in wooden ships and the quickest way to California was the shortest road to fortune, comes to life in the name of Reo's new passenger car, the "Flying Cloud."

A 20th century romance is this tale of a group of American business men who went back to an age of thrilling deeds to find ideals for the construction of that most modern of modern things, a motor car.

For the American clipper ship, "Flying Cloud," launched in 1851, was the most beautiful of all the slim, white-winged vessels of her period, a new development in design. She was the fastest long-distance sailing ship under the American flag, and established record after record in repeated 16,000-mile journeys "around the Horn."

## Work Is Assured Railway Shopmen

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—The Southern Pacific railroad doled out a Christmas present in the form of assured continued employment to workers in the Sacramento and Los Angeles shops. George McCormick, general superintendent of motive power, announced construction, involving expenditure of \$2,416,724, will start immediately on eight new type super locomotives for use in hauling fast passenger trains over the Sierra mountains, 250 flat cars, 500 box cars and 50 cabooses.

## Espee Earnings For Month Drop

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—Net railway operating income of the Southern Pacific for November showed a decrease of \$368,081.63, compared with November, 1925, a report of earnings and expenses revealed. Total for the first 11 months of this year, however, showed a net increase of \$6,746,616.79, compared with the corresponding period in 1925. The net operating income for the 11 months was \$51,369,896.77.



## For School Children

The school child requires proper nourishment, not only to uphold muscle, bone and teeth, but also to maintain strength and vitality during the growing period. "Horlick's" is composed of clean, full-cream milk, combined with a nourishing extract of the grains. Prepared at home in a moment. No cooking.

*A Merry Christmas to Everybody from ORANGE COUNTY IGNITION WORKS FIFTH AND SPURGEON*

### NEW SPARK PLUG

A Swedish mechanic has invented a new type spark plug that cleans itself automatically. The plug can be manufactured to sell for only slightly higher than the ordinary type, according to advice from Stockholm.

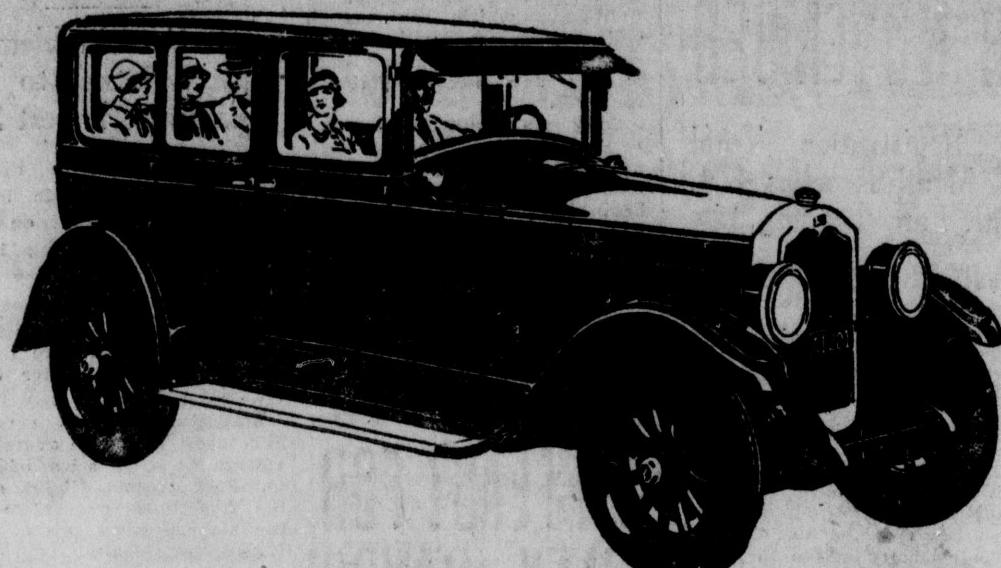
### GARAGE IS SOLD

L. J. Owens has sold the Santa Ana Electric garage Third and French streets, to E. E. McCarter. The new owner will conduct the business along the same lines as the former owner and will continue to handle Philadelphia batteries.

**CATARH**  
of heat or throat is usually  
benefited by the vapors of—  
**VICKS**  
VAPORUB  
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

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FIFTH AND SPURGEON STREETS



# 1927!

Having in mind the economic truth that any successful business is founded upon GOOD WILL, GOOD SERVICE and the GOOD CONFIDENCE that men everywhere have in their fellow citizens;

And that the progress of any Bank, Finance Company or other credit institution is merely the expression and embodiment of this confidence and this predominating principle of honesty among men;

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our many friends and customers for their liberal patronage and faithful co-operation during the past year, and to extend to them our sincerest wishes for a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

## Federal Finance Co., Inc.

429 North Sycamore Street

Santa Ana, California

# Use Your Christmas money to buy this Radio

A small deposit will bring a Western Air Patrol into your home . . . and open a new field of enjoyment to you and your family. Use that "Christmas Check" as the down payment on one of these sets today . . . you'll never regret your action.

## This Week's Specials



**Aerial Wire 52c Per Roll**  
A high grade 100-ft. cable made up of 7 strands of No. 22 B & S gauge copper wire. Very strong, and has high conductivity.



**"Western" Loud Speaker \$17.50**

**Regularly \$25.00**  
In this superior horn speaker we offer tremendous savings—and demand of us value, too! It will bring out the best in any set. 22 inches high, with 15-inch bell. Made of specially alloyed aluminum with frosted black finish.

## Radio Supplies

... that help improve radio performance. Tested, Proven, and in every way worthy of "Western Auto's" guarantee . . . You may have absolute confidence in everything we sell, for instance, Rola Cone Speakers, Cunningham Tubes, Franco Batteries, Silite Chargers, Kester Radio Solders, and many other nationally known and used articles.



**"The tone quality is wonderful"—never heard a radio that comes in so clear and free from noise—"perfect in every way"—compares favorably with sets selling for twice as much!**

**Such vivid expressions of praise come to us daily from owners of this superb yet low priced 5-tube radio. It is handsome, too, and such simplicity! Even the kiddies operate it perfectly!**

**Ask about our Free Home Trial Offer**

**Wizard Batteries Last Longer AND GIVE ECONOMICAL CURRENT**

**Absolute satisfaction guaranteed for Radio or Cars**

Brimful of "Pep," trouble free, and built to last—Wizard Storage Batteries, at "Western Auto's" low prices, give more hours of satisfactory operation than any other. All sizes always in stock at all our stores. Priced \$9.50 and up.

**More than 150 Stores in the West—**

**Western Auto Supply Co.**

Fifth and Main Streets



## In Appreciation

This occasion is one which we take to thank our very many satisfied Moreland truck customers, also the many friends we have come in contact with.

The past year has been one for which we can sincerely give thanks to the people of Santa Ana and Orange County.

Our aim for 1927 will be to be able to thank you again next Christmas.

A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year is our wish.

**William W. Ross**

Moreland Trucks  
Moon and Diana Cars  
600 WEST FOURTH

Register Want Ads Bring Big Results  
Cost Little—Accomplish Much—Try One

## NEW LICENSE PLATES WILL BEAR FULL NAME OF STATE



California's 1927 automobile registration plates include not only all numbers over a million, but also the full name of the state, and this without being larger than plates used last year. Miss Hazel Townsley, of the California State Automobile association, demonstrating that the new maroon and cream plates are no longer than the old.



Santa Ana, December 24.

**DEAR LOIS:**  
Here it is Christmas eve, when in reality it should be some time in July or August, but even though time has sneaked up on me in an outrageous manner, I am prepared. I have every Christmas present bought and almost all are wrapped or will be in a few moments. Is that not a record? You should think so, for you are most familiar with my habits of procrastination.

But then, everything this year has been much more attractive than ever before. Everywhere one turns, one finds the most fascinating gifts, things that anyone would love. At the Betty Rose, especially, do they have darling things. You know, they have a table on which are all kinds of articles that may be used for gifts. The neatest, though, are the boxes of lavender, done up in charming boxes, in each of which are several verses of poetry. And then there are the handkerchiefs and garters and, oh, dozens of things, so even if I find that I haven't purchased enough gifts to go around, I can rush down there even now or until 9 o'clock tonight and find something that will be as suitable as if I'd spent hours planning it some time last month.

Another place which has become very popular during the holidays is the Work Basket. It is quite new, as it has been in existence only a few months, but like the Betty Rose shop, it has darling Christmas presents waiting to be wrapped. Please write to me soon.

Love,  
LOUISE.

RING 17-TON BELL

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—A 17-ton bell that can be heard for 30 miles will ring in the New Year. It is a memorial to John Wanamaker, was made in England and has just crossed the Atlantic.



The lights that beam on Christmas night

Are lights to set the heart aright

If it is out of tune;

And may they light you to good cheer,

Guide all your friends and loved ones near,

Reveal each longed-for boon.

HANCOCK MOTORS COMPANY

HUMPMOBILE DEALERS—H. W. WALDBILLIG, Manager

323 EAST FOURTH STREET

Phone 1360

## LEGISLATION TO REAPPORTION IS TO BE OFFERED

Legislation to make effective the provisions of initiative measure No. 28, which was adopted at the last state election, and which provides for a new plan of legislative apportionment, will be presented to the 1927 legislature, according to information received by officers of the Orange County Farm Bureau. The lobbying campaign will be handled by Charles W. Cleary, of Lindsay, former assemblyman and present legislative representative of the California Farm Bureau fed-

"A bill conforming to the provisions of measure No. 28, fair to all sections of the state and one which no major fundamental objection can be raised, will be presented to the 1927 legislature," Cleary wrote. "Good progress already has been made toward the perfection of such a measure by farm bureau representatives working in close conjunction with the members of the state legislature.

"Los Angeles, San Francisco and Alameda counties, the only counties which, under a strict population apportionment, would be entitled to two or more senators, will, under the provisions of No. 28, each constitute a single senatorial district. The assembly districts will conform to the provisions that they shall be as nearly equal in population as possible, subject to other limits prescribed by the constitution."

"If the measure is adopted by the forthcoming legislature, or by the reapportionment commission provided by the initiative measure, the transition to the new order will be completed in the 1930 elections," Cleary said.

Nothing is too good for our patrons who have been so loyal to us in the year past. We thank you and send this cordial greeting.

## RECORD HOLDER



Mel Kenealy, holder of Banning track record, who will compete in automobile races there on New Year's day.

## BANNING TRACK IN FIRST CLASS SHAPE

The Banning dirt track, which will be the scene of a series of fast events to be held on New Year's day, is in excellent condition, it was reported here today.

Mel Kenealy, holder of the Banning track record and winner of the trophy dash at the last Banning race on Armistice day, in a series of articles on dirt track racing in Southern California, states that the track is undoubtedly the fastest dirt track of its class in America.

Ethyl gasoline, now being introduced to Southern California by the Associated Oil Company, will be used by Kenealy on New Year's Day.

"Ethyl has been used in all Indianapolis races for the last four years and has developed greater speed and engine efficiency for its users than any other motor fuel ever used in racing," said a local distributor of Associated products.

New Hospital Is Established In Beach Oil Field

CLOVIS, Calif., Dec. 24.—James Locavro, 45, was held in the city jail today on a charge of murder, following his surrender to officers, who have been seeking him throughout the San Joaquin valley since Monday.

Locavro is accused of slaying his brother-in-law, James Borello, 40, after a fist fight between the pair.

After voluntarily giving himself up, Locavro declared Borello shot himself.

## REVEAL MARRIAGE PACT

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—"The experiment having proved successful thus far, Miss Elise Riser and Mr. Aage Woldike desire to announce their marriage." Thus began engraved announcements just mailed telling of a wedding that took place a year ago. Actress and insurance broker explain that they desired to keep their union secret until they were sure it would be permanent. "Marriage is a good thing," says the bride, "but ours is the only one!"

## FINDS REST

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 24.—Old Bill, a rare armored rhinoceros, weighing a ton and a half, who was in the circus nineteen of his 22 years, is to be in the museum of natural history at Yale alongside his playmate, Fatima, a hippopotamus, weight one ton flat.



TO ALL of you and yours  
I send the good old wish  
that you may have a most

Merry  
Christmas

Ralph Barker's  
Service Station  
Second and Main, Santa Ana  
Gasoline—Motor Oils—Greasing  
Washing—Storage—Crankcase Service

## Peace of Mind

Being the foundation stone of happiness we wish you this and even more—we wish it for you and for those about whom you are concerned.

Nothing is too good for our patrons who have been so loyal to us in the year past. We thank you and send this cordial greeting.

"Merry Christmas to All"

## Liggett Lumber Co.

"ONE FOOT OR A MILLION"

Fruit Street and S. P. Tracks

## A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

We like to think of all the people of Orange County as our friends—over 100,000 of them—and we'd like to send them all an individual, personal Christmas greeting.

But of course that would be impractical. It would swamp our clerical force and burden the mails. The nearest we can come to it is to use The Register, which goes into over 10,000 homes in Orange County.

Therefore, let us thus be counted among the rest of your friends in wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We realize, of course, that there is nothing original about that familiar holiday wish, but we don't believe anybody could wish it for you with more sincerity than we do.

Also, we want to take this opportunity to thank you for the friendship, interest and encouragement you have extended to us during the past year. We appreciate it more than we can begin to express.

You often hear business referred to as "cold blooded."

A few days ago we had an argument with a business man on that subject. He said there was no room for sentiment in business—that it was purely a dollars-and-cents proposition. We know better than that. Take the friendships out of our business and we wouldn't want to stay in it.

So, we are facing the New Year with a greater appreciation of our friends. We wish you and yours all possible success and happiness in 1927, and it is our sincere hope that your path may frequently cross ours during the coming twelve months.

Again we say, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## REID MOTOR COMPANY

J. W. TUBBS, Manager

FIFTH AND SPURGEON STREETS



## Hello, Santa Ana

"Hello, Mrs. Hall. This is Mrs. Pratt of Huntington Beach speaking."

"Yes, hello Mrs. Pratt.

"Where are you going to have your Christmas dinner?" ...

"Why the same good place, Mrs. Pratt—The Golden Bear Cafe where one enjoys the wonderful cooking of Chef Harry Bakre."

### Christmas Dinner

11 a. m. to 9 p. m.

\$1.35

per plate



Merry Xmas  
To All

The trade-mark of  
a Great Restaurant

PHONE 1253 H. B. FOR RESERVATIONS

## Golden Bear Cafe

HARRY BAKRE, PROP. AND CHEF

226 Main Street

Phone 1253

HUNTINGTON BEACH

Merry Christmas  
to All

## Santa Ana Tent and Awning Co.

304 N. BUSH ST.

Max V. Akers

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## H. W. MYRICK

412 West Fourth

BICYCLES, WHEEL GOODS, SUPPLIES



Just to Wish You a Merry Christmas

## McCLAY IGNITION WORKS

103 North Main

Phone 689

## SALE—FRIDAY ONLY!

We are going to have a sale Friday only for last minute shoppers

Framed Pictures and Kodak Albums on sale Friday only—25% to 35% discount

(MR.) IVIE STEIN  
On BROADWAY--Bet. 3rd and 4th

Kodaks—Frames—Christmas Cards—Gifts

—A Christmas Editorial—

## Santa Claus

BY WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE

**I**n the poem, "The Night Before Christmas," we are told that the surplus abdominal adipose of Santa Claus "shook when he laughed like a bowl full of jelly."

This makes the classic picture of Santa Claus. He is always gay, even festive. He is the only gay god in all mythology. Some gods like Venus and Ceres are amiable, others as Cupid and Pan are mischievous. Bacchus is diabolical, but funny. Santa Claus is merry and gay.

Now why? Men create gods in their own image as God created man in His. Why have we made Santa Claus the happy god?

Let's take the old fellow, strap his legs and arms to the dissecting board, shoot a sniff of anesthetic up his dear old snoot and carve into him. Well, what do we see? Gouging into his subconsciousness we come to his philosophy.

There we find the reason for his merriment. His philosophy is the shortest philosophy in the world, a one-word philosophy:

"Give."

When man gives he is happy if he is worthy to give, and to be worthy to give first of all one must have self-respect. Only the beggar feels worthy to receive. It is the strong man who feels able to give. This mood of giving which Santa Claus conjures up strengthens the self-respect of humanity. By this magic of crowd psychology with everyone giving and giving again, self-respect, by the sheer act of imitation and repetition, comes flooding into the heart of the world.

Christmas is the one season where we say "God bless you" instead of "God help me," and the phrases are poles apart. He who gives a blessing ignores his inferiority complex; he who asks one magnifies it.

Santa Claus, the merry god created in the image of our self-respect, makes us happy by the very glory of a temporary rebirth. We are indeed new creatures regenerated, born again. The whole musty jargon of theology about the necessity of being born anew is explained in the twinkling of an eye. He who is born anew simply gains his self-respect. Suddenly he finds himself in a fraternal attitude toward the world. When a man realizes that he is the equal of any other creature on earth, he jabs out his chin, elevates his breast bone, throws back his head, looks the world in the eye and laughs in his heart at the earthworm he once was. All this we can see by looking into the vitals of old Santa Claus lying there unconscious under the anesthetic as we prod through his after-thought for his subconsciousness.

The merry god of our modern mythology is more than a god, he is a prophet. When we get it into our head that we can make Christmas run 365 days we can be as merry as he. But when every day is Christmas, we must keep our self-respect, we must keep our fraternal attitude toward men. We must realize that we are the seed of the ordained King, brothers of men and children of God, reborn out of our self-imposed inferiority, out of the beggar complex which would receive, into the royal line that gives.

Knowing this we will laugh and grow fat. Some day in another age, men may be born again by the salvation of Santa Claus. Then they will look back upon this as a mean and sordid age. Some posterity may see us now only as men who sought to take, men who would ask and beg and gouge and grind, before they learned to give and bless, and before they knew they were worthy to rattle out the keen laughter of proud hearts.

All the world then will shake its excess abdominal adipose "like a bowl full of jelly." So when you meet the happy god, hold him fast; every day you can keep him through the year makes you happier and the world better.

All hail Santa Claus, the prophet of the new order.

### LOCAL INDUSTRIES

Reports of Progress Made by Chamber of Commerce Bulletin

The Towner Manufacturing company operating at 111 North Main street reports progress during the past year as follows:

"We have just begun the construction of an addition to our plant costing approximately \$3200.

"Our business a year ago at the close of November was \$84,500. At the close of November this year it was \$169,000.

"Our increase in monthly pay roll as compared with last year is approximately 10 per cent."

The Towner Manufacturing company exhibited at the Imperial and Orange County Fairs and also at the Sacramento State Fair, thus not only advertising their own products but advertising Santa Ana as well. With the continued support of the industrial communities of the Southland there is no reason why the Towner Manufacturing company plant should not increase a hundred fold during 1927.

The Santa Ana Mattress company, Mr. E. L. Struble, proprietor, reports that they have just installed a steam feather renovator costing the several hundred dollars. They have the only feather renovator in Orange county and are in a position to take care of the needs and the requirements of the public in their particular line of activity. Their renovator really clears the feathers, takes all chaff out and thoroughly sterilizes and curles. In

addition to renovating the feathers, Mr. Struble's process also kills all moths.

The public is invited to inspect the plant, and the housewives of our members are urged to patronize this new industry.

The Orange County By-Products company have established two new machines at an approximate cost of \$1100. They report that the increase in pay roll the past three months over the previous three months is \$600. This is a step in the right direction and indicates that the Made-at-Home Products Movement is taking definite form.

One of the infant industries of Santa Ana is that of Claude E. Brown's Pattern Shop located at 935 East Second street. Mr. Brown began business on June 15, 1924. He makes patterns of all kinds for casting in iron, steel, brass and aluminum. Mr. Brown reports his business increased during 1926 over 1925 100 per cent and consequently his payroll also increased 100 per cent.

The territory covered by this concern embraces all of the towns in Orange, Riverside and San Bernardino counties, including considerable business from Long Beach and Los Angeles. This particular business has been built up on the basis of price, quality and service.

More power to the Brown Pattern Shop during the year 1927.

Reports of other Santa Ana industries will be made in "Business" each month, which will indicate the progress that is being made in Santa Ana by her many industries.

Pittner and Weber report a 10 per cent increase in the first five weeks of the Buy-at-Home campaign in their business. If all of the members of the chamber of commerce who are smokers would buy Pittner and Weber cigars there would be easily added to their business another 25 per cent.

### Legal Notice

### NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The regular Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Santa Ana Valley Hospital will be held at the office of the hospital, 602 East Washington Avenue, Santa Ana, California, January 3, 1927, at 7:30 p. m.

## GREETINGS SENT FROM COPENHAGEN

"Greetings from Copenhagen." Among the countless Christmas cards choking the mails, these Yuletide greetings from Robert O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien, 1002 South Birch, under the postmark of "Kopenhagen" which are being received by friends of the young world travelers, perhaps are the most unique compliments of the season.

The pretty little cards bear the words, "Gledelig Jul," Merry Christmas.

Robert O'Brien and Donald Hillman, both of Santa Ana, started out to see the world last summer. The two boys had many thrills, even to being shipwrecked.

Imports of rubber heels into Japan are doing away with wooden sandals.

We Wish  
You All

A  
Merry  
Christmas

BOYLE  
Paint Co.

222 West Fifth Street



Let the Christmas Spirit  
Prevade Every Home!

Merry Christmas

May the holiday season bring health,  
good cheer and happiness to all.

WIESSEMAN'S

114 West Fourth Street—Santa Ana

With Kindest Thoughts  
and all Good Wishes  
for Christmas and the  
New Year

REINHAUS

## Greetings

of the season. And may your  
Christmas be merrier than  
ever before, is the wish of

ROY J. LYON  
108 East First St. Phone 2058



## Bass-Hueter Paint Co.

C. H. DAHLEM, Prop.  
312 West Fourth Street



"Merry  
Christmas"

The Hancock Refining Co. and the Langley Oil Co. join in a warm Christmas Greeting to all of Orange county . . . peace and happiness to you on this loved day . . . and 365 days of continued prosperity and well-being for 1927.

Hancock  
Gasoline  
For Your Christmas Trip!

LANGLEY OIL COMPANY  
Roy E. Langley  
Orange County Distributors



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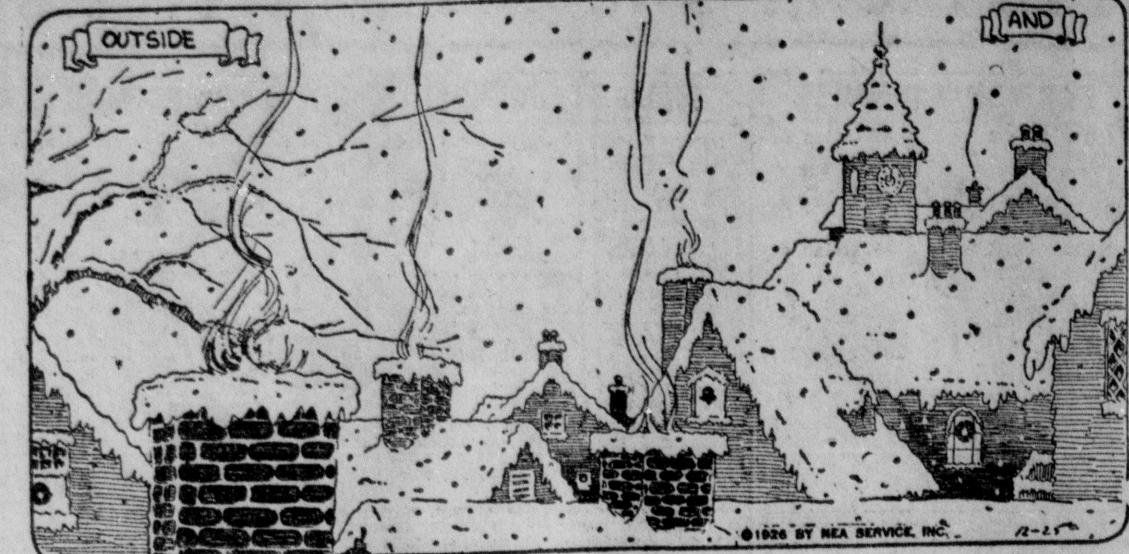
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## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



## Merry Christmas



By MARTIN

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING  
Register Want Ads  
All Want Ads will be placed un-  
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Personal Situation Wanted and  
Furniture for sale will not be tak-  
en over the phone.

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no cash rebate allowed except at  
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is not the fault of the advertiser,  
which clearly lessens the value of  
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only by reprinting the ad without  
charge, within FIVE days after  
insertion.

The Register will not be responsi-  
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All Want Ads must be in by 11 a.  
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all regular editions.

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The Register postoffice depart-  
ment is conducted for the benefit  
of patrons who wish answers to  
come to the office. Advertisers are  
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which must be presented at The  
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and addresses of patrons using  
The Register postoffice before  
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these advertisers can be supplied.

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"Box A234, care The Register."

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Business Property  
Country Property  
City Houses and Lots

## Announcements

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS  
Santa Ana Lodge No 149 meets every  
Wednesday night at 7:30. Visiting brothers  
always welcome. 2014  
West Fourth in M.W.  
A. half past 7.

## PAUL G. REID,

Chancellor Com  
R. N. BULLOCK,  
K. of R. S.

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Santa Ana Lodge No. 758 meets every  
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## CHESTER GROSS C. C.

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**Big Returns at Small Cost**

A DAILY  
CLASSIFIED  
CARD  
COSTS  
75¢ A LINE  
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Implements, harness, tractor, trailers  
W. F. Lutz Co., 21st & Fifteenth.

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Awnings and anything made of canvas  
Santa Ana Tech. & Awning Co.  
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**Awnings, Tents and Tarpaulins**

Rugs, cleaned, shampooed and sized. Mat-  
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Let us quote flat rate for recon-  
ditioning your car. Completely  
rebuilt, reground, honing, cylinder  
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Open lacquer any car \$50; Fords \$25.  
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Let me repair your bicycle. H. W.  
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For bicycle repairing and tires go  
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And rug weaving. Call for esti-  
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Santa Ana Cabinet and Fixture Co.  
Calimesa fixtures, sash and doors  
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Dressmaking Prices reasonable  
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Let us furnish feed for your Pon-  
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Zerman's, 108 North Sycamore.

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13 Help Wanted, Female  
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## By CRANE

60 City Houses and Lots  
(Continued)

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43 Xmas Gifts  
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# Interesting News of the Day Told In Pictures



Anyone who thinks chorus girls have figures but not brains should look at this. Ruth Marion, Mary Godsey and Gay Sibald filed complaint in Los Angeles against Michael Corper because of alleged failure to pay them for work in "Monkey Business," a show that broke up in San Francisco. Authorities say the girls know "plenty law."



It was decidedly worth while to Miss Clarice Barry to be adjudged the most beautiful October bride in the Sesqui-Centennial exposition when it closed in Philadelphia. "Connecticut day" was its exclamation of faraway Sydney, Australia. The pining gesture. On that occasion, financial difficulties evidently failed honor carried with it a prize to perturb Mayor Kendrick (right) and Gov. Trumbull, Nutmeg chief of \$5000, not to speak of a free trousseau, bedroom suite, piano, honeymoon tour and some odds and ends. Miss Barry had been a government stenographer.



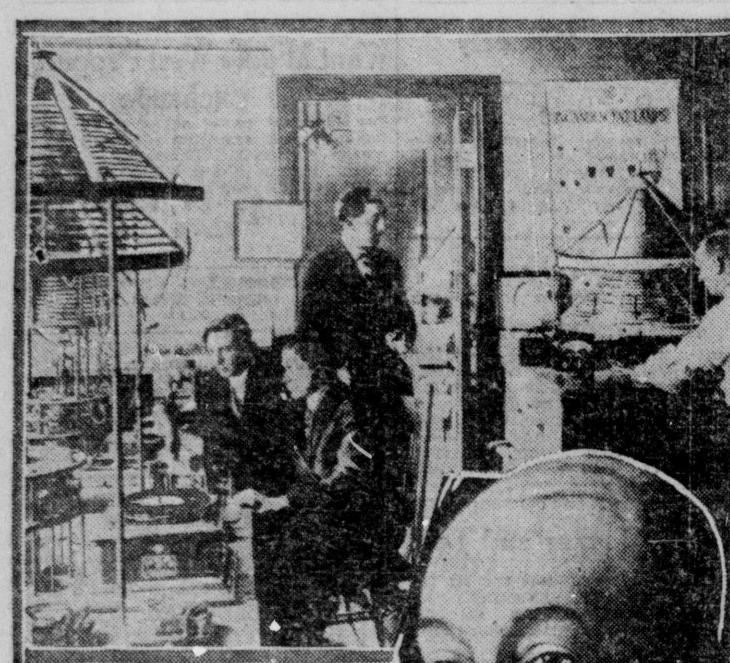
Five million plunks in the hole was the Sesqui-Centennial exposition when it closed in Philadelphia. "Connecticut day" was its exclamation of faraway Sydney, Australia. The pining gesture. On that occasion, financial difficulties evidently failed honor carried with it a prize to perturb Mayor Kendrick (right) and Gov. Trumbull, Nutmeg chief of \$5000, not to speak of a free trousseau, bedroom suite, piano, honeymoon tour and some odds and ends. Miss Barry had been a government stenographer.



This benign looking gentleman is Judge Harry Day Reed, of the Georgia superior court. By the heavy sentences he recently imposed upon nine self-confessed members of a lynch mob, he has proclaimed that the midnight noose is not to replace the law's orderly course in Georgia, so far as he is able to prevent it. Of the United States soon to compete for the honor of appearing in nine men who pleaded guilty before him, one was sent to the penitentiary for life, and the others were given terms of from four to twenty years' imprisonment.



Delectable? Exactly! She is Miss Isabel Jeans, English beauty with scores of other specimens of British pulchritude will come to the United States soon to compete for the honor of appearing in an American movie.



Here is the world's first radio station to broadcast music and other entertainment, and Charles D. Herrold, first man in the United States to hold a broadcasting license. Herrold, who has just left Radio KQW, San Jose, because of rumored disagreement over its operation under supervision of the First Baptist church, is shown in the doorway of the first station. Herrold cannot take his KQW license with him because he signed it over when he went with the San Jose church, but he has taken his personality and knowledge to KTAB, operated by the 10th Avenue Baptist church, of Oaklawn.



Ire of Texas legislators was aroused when this bust of "Ma" Ferguson was placed in the capitol at Austin alongside a statue of Woodrow Wilson. Representative George C. Kemble, of Fort Worth, threatened a bill to require removal of the bust to the attic until after the retiring woman governor's death.



Here are Maj. Gen. Charles Pelot Summerall (left), Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis, and Maj. Gen. John L. Hines just after General Summerall took the oath at Washington as successor to General Hines as chief of staff of the U. S. army. General Summerall came from command of the second corps area, with headquarters at New York.



Typically collegiate is Yuri Kawakami, student at Swarthmore college, and as popular a co-ed as ever flapped across the campus. Yuri, despite her Occidental appearance and manners, is a Japanese daughter of a noted Japanese journalist and author who is now in Washington, D. C.



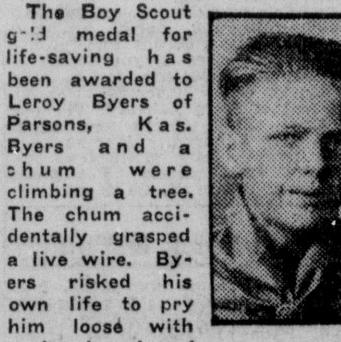
Not iv., the Terrible but Ivan the Great is 2-year-old Ivan Erickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Erickson of Pierre, S. D. Though he's only two, he weighs 105 pounds and is growing fast. He weighed nine pounds at birth and began to "pick up" at two months.



Seven proved an unlucky number in the marital career of Mrs. Georgia Brown, of Girard, Kas. She has just been convicted of second-degree murder in connection with the death of her seventh husband, Sid Brown, and has been sentenced to 22 years in the penitentiary. Her fifth husband, Fred Morton, was shot to death in 1921 in a scuffle with her, but a jury acquitted her on the grounds of self-defense.



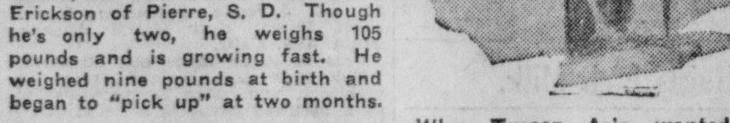
So easy to look at is Lottie Keiper, so persuasive her smile and so disarming her manner, that the boys were delighted to stroll with her in Central park, New York. But she was a siren, the police charge. Within the park shades lurked Lottie's heavy-handed boy-friends, they say, and her escorts were stripped of their watches and money. Here is the girl awaiting unconcernedly for her arraignment.



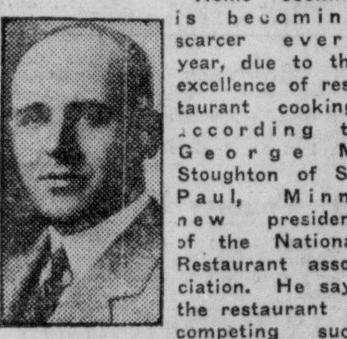
Co-eds of Highland Park junior college, Detroit, have a four-day week of a kind. That is, on four days of the five weekly school days they must wear the uniform pictured above. The uniform was adopted on petition of the girls themselves, to lessen competition in clothes. The pretty demonstrator is Miss Wilda Spann.



Here is Col. Fred Repert, who has been auctioning off prize cattle for 25 years, and is acclaimed as the best in the country. He'll York for the African hunting show.



When Tucson, Ariz., wanted to dedicate its new Temple of Music and Art, nothing was more natural than to ask Galli-Curci to assist, and here she is with Mrs. Simon Heineman (left), one of the leaders in the temple movement, turn the first spadeful of earth.



Home cooking is becoming scarcer every year, due to the excellence of restaurant cooking, according to George M. Stoughton of St. Paul, Minn., new president of the National Restaurant association. He says the restaurant is competing successfully with the housewife.



The king of Rumania, here showing the face of an elderly professor behind his large glasses, is reading the royal address at the opening of parliament in Bucharest, while Queen Marie was visiting America. This photograph is one of the king's last appearances in public before his confinement by the critical illness from which he is reported to be suffering.



Here are the healthiest farm children in America, officially adjudged so at the International Livestock exposition, in Chicago. They are, left to right; Albert Hoope, of Linn county, Ia., healthiest boy; Warren Griffin, of Oscar, Ky., healthiest girl, and Janette Rushing, of Sunflower, Miss., who tied with Miss Hoope.



What the governor of North Carolina said to the governor-to-be of South Carolina is uncertain, but undoubtedly he was reminded in reply that raising a family of nine daughters is a splendid achievement. This picture shows Gov.-elect John G. Richards, of South Carolina, (inset), and his nine daughters. They are, back row, left to right: Mrs. Thomas P. McRae, Miss Mildred Richards, Miss Betty Richards, Mrs. M. L. Sauls. Front row, left to right: Mrs. J. W. Todd, Miss Rekah Richards, Miss Jean Richards and Miss John'g Richards. Miss John'g's name was invented by her father.

## LEGION, POLICE TEAMS PLAY TOMORROW

**BILLY EVANS**  
*Says*

LINE OF CHATTER

When Bill Carrigan, new manager of the Boston Red Sox, voluntarily retired from the American league, it marked the passing of the last conversational catcher.

Twenty-one years ago, when I broke into the American league, a hot line of chatter was considered a most important asset of every catcher.

Few had the same line of stuff, but the object was always the same, to keep the batter from concentrating.

Some of the old timers made it a point to indulge in personalities, others resorted entirely to sarcasm, while the smarter backstops simply insisted on engaging the batter in conversation without much thought as to what they said.

CARRIGAN'S STYLE

Bill Carrigan was such a catcher. His line of chatter was clean, very often complimentary and most of the time flavored with humor.

That fellow Carrigan sends you away smiling, even when you take three through the heart of the plate," the way I once heard an opposing batsman put it.

While Carrigan rambled on through most of the game, he reserved his best stuff for the pinch. It was with a couple of men on and a base hit badly needed that Bill went into high.

If the player up in a pinch happened to be some minor league star who came to the majors with a fat batting average, Carrigan would immediately start to tell him that he understood the pitching in the league he came from was practically as good as the majors.

He would appeal to his vanity and before he knew it, Carrigan's pitcher would have a couple of strikes on him, while he was courteously replying to Bill's queries.

Riding of Felsch

In the days of Carrigan, the Boston subs reclining on the bench all perked up when Hap Felsch of the Chicago White Sox came to the bat.

Hap was a rather sensitive fellow, didn't relish being "ridden," and for that reason the bench subs never overlooked him. When he came up several remarks that always got under Felsch's skin would immediately float plateaued from the bench.

That would start Felsch arguing with the Boston players not in the game. Carrigan would add fuel to the flames by agreeing with Felsch, telling him those "buskers" not even in the game, had plenty of nerve "riding" a star like him.

Incidentally he might look toward the Boston bench and in an authoritative manner order the yelling cut out. In all probability that was the sign to keep it up.

OUT ON TWO STRIKES

Well do I recall a game in which "Dutch" Leonard sneaked over a first strike on Felsch that he never knew was pitched, as later events proved.

The second pitch, which Leonard also delivered with little or no windup, Felsch just did see. He took a belated swing, missing the ball a foot.

On the next pitch, he didn't get his bat off his shoulder, so interested was he in the conversation that he was carrying on with the Red Sox.

When the umpire yelled "Strike three," Felsch let up a roar that could be heard miles away. It wasn't a kick on the umpire's judgment; he simply wanted to know since when a batter got only two strikes, and he meant it.

MINUTE MOVIES

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By ED. WHEELAN

## SANTA ANA TO PUT POWERFUL SQUAD ON GRID

Expect Big Crowd at Poly Field to See Cravath, Cole, Cock and Others

What probably is the strongest football team that ever trod a Santa Ana post No. 131, American Legion, in tomorrow afternoon's game at Poly field against the powerful Los Angeles Police department eleven in the last game of the 1926 season.

"Jeff" Cravath, "Big Bill" Cole, "Bart" Cock, "Eeny" Wilcox, Al Clayes, Newt Stark and many other famous names in local football annals will be in the Santa Ana lineup and a mammoth crowd is expected to pack the Poly athletic enclosure for one more glimpse at the men, many of whom have not played here since their prep school days.

The Los Angeles policemen have a squad composed of former college and high school athletes and they have been playing together all season. They will probably outclass the local ensemble in general teamwork but they will have to be a mighty good football team to hold their own with the individual color, skill and power of the Santa Ana Legionnaires.

Cravath in Lineup

The big drawing card of the affair, Rated by such authorities as Knute Rockne, "Pop" Warner and Ted Jones as the second greatest center in the nation and by many other competent judges as the Best pivot man in the country, Cravath needs no introduction to local sport followers. He is a Santa Ana boy and gained his earlier gridiron experience in this city. Tomorrow will mark the first game the U. S. C. captain has played here since 1921.

Tevis Westgate, the former Oriental player, and Ferris Scott, varsity center at Pomona last season, will start at guards. "Bart" Cock, for three years a varsity tackle at California, and Bill Cole, the giant U. S. C. line coach, will

start at the tackle berths. Howard Lutz, former captain of the California Aggies, and "Pat" Bryan, erstwhile Nebraska athlete, are nominated for the ends.

What a Backfield!

Newt Stark, former U. S. C. end and halfback, will be in the Legion's backfield. Al Clayes and "Eeny" Wilcox, two of the best broken field runners who ever played here, will do most of the ball packing. Bill Luck will be the fourth back.

The Santa Ana substitutes include Harvey Durkee, Chet Siegel, Blanchard Beatty, "Buck" Flips, Tom Ogleby and "Red" Meisinger, all former high school stars.

Leo ("Babe") Calland, head coach at Whittier college will referee, and George Baker, former Stanford university center, will umpire.

The probable starting lineup:

Santa Ana Pos. L. A. Police  
Bryan ..... REL ..... Doyle  
Cock ..... REL ..... Borne  
Westgate ..... RTL ..... Ford  
Cravath (C) ..... C ..... Simon  
Scott ..... LGR ..... Roland  
Cole ..... LTR ..... Beach  
Lutz ..... LER ..... Dunough  
Wilcox ..... Q ..... Hill  
Stark ..... RHL ..... Du Filkas  
Clayes ..... LHR ..... Burris  
Luck ..... F ..... (C) Rose

Canada is planning to send a strong delegation to compete in the women's events in the next Olympic games. The Dominion believes that in Miss Ross Grosse of Toronto it has one of the best girl sprinters in the world. Another member of the Canadian team will be Miss Catherwood of Saskatchewan, who is a marvel in the high jump.

Pocket billiards and three cushion meets with popular appeal for the reason that in a relatively brief period the novice can develop his game to such a degree as to be able to compete with the average player. Balkline, on the other hand, requires much greater skill, and is a game for the master hands.

STORMY PETREL

## CLAIM LANDIS WAS FORCED TO BARE SCANDAL

By MARBEN GRAHAM  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

DETROIT, Dec. 24.—Probably one-half of the major league baseball players and managers, as well as a good number of newspaper writers and "outsiders" had learned before the close of the 1926 season of "Hubert ('Dutch') Leonard's charges against Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker and Joe Wood.

Their publication, for which Judge K. M. Landis is generally credited, or charged with, was not, it is believed here, his idea at all.

It was forced on him by the writers and by insistence of Cobb, when the latter learned the writers were going to "break" the story.

The charges admittedly are Leonard's profession for what he claims was a "conspiracy" by Cobb to keep him from the major leagues.

They involve charges by Leonard that Cobb asserted he "would get even with you for laying down" in baseball game in 1925.

When Leonard, according to his friends here, came to Detroit in 1925, Cobb was hard pressed to retain his job as manager. He had to win. Navin admitted that he had decided to let the "Georgia Peach" out as manager after the 1925 season, but was deterred by the banquet given Ty here commemorating his 20th anniversary in baseball.

Navin said he wanted to give Ty another chance, although a dozen of the ball players had come to him and demanded to be traded, because they could not get along with Cobb.

**Hoffman, Stanford Ace, Has Bad Foot**

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. 24.—"Biff" Hoffman, one of the main cogs in the Stanford football machine which meets Alabama on New Year's Day at Pasadena, was out of the lineup today. The big fullback has an infected right foot and it will be several days before he can be in uniform.

**Aggies Win From Olympic Outfit**

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—The Oregon Aggie hoopers defeated Olympic club last night 29 to 19. Savory, center and Burr, guard for the Aggies were high point scorers.

**WOOD MAY SUE LEONARD IF HE LOSES JOB**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—Should Yale university athletic officials refuse to recognize the newest baseball scandal and retain Joe Wood as coach of the Eli nine, the former Cleveland pitcher probably let the matter drop.

But if Wood is deprived of his position, he threatens court action against "Dutch" Leonard, his accuser, holding himself entirely guiltless in the alleged "thrown game" between Cleveland and Detroit in 1919.

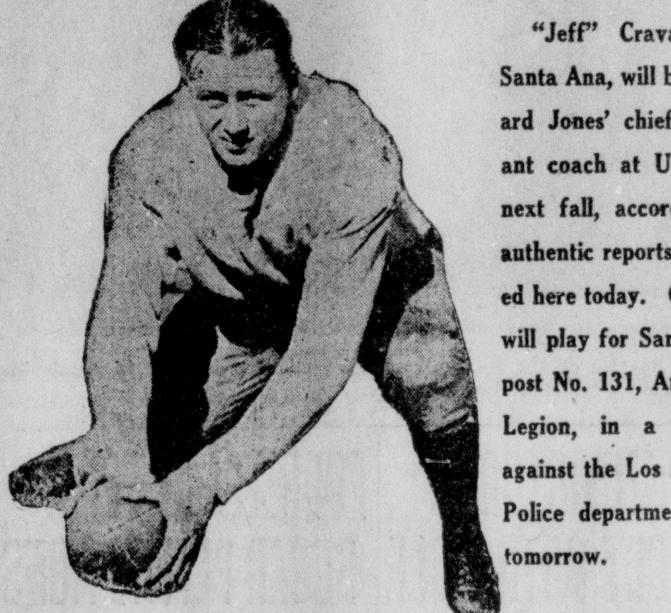
According to a member of the Yale baseball committee, Wood probably will continue to coach the university team. A decision may not be reached until after the holidays, since many of the officials are out of the city at this time.

**Minnesota Coach Regaining Health**

ROCHESTER, Minn., Dec. 24.—Coach "Doc" Spears of the University of Minnesota, is rapidly recovering from an operation for gallstones at Rochester, Minn.

In one respect New York City has experienced a slump in the pugilistic market during the past year. The near close of the pugilistic championship program for 1926 finds Gene Tunney, the heavyweight king, the sole representative of New York's fistic school among the champions in the eight recognized divisions. For several years past it has been the usual thing for Gothamites to hold at least half of the titles.

CRAVATH TO COACH AT TROY



"Jeff" Cravath, of Santa Ana, will be Howard Jones' chief assistant coach at U. S. C. next fall, according to authentic reports received here today. Cravath will play for Santa Ana post No. 131, American Legion, in a game against the Los Angeles Police department here tomorrow.

## DICTATOR LIKE LANDIS URGED FOR FISTIANA

By PAUL W. WHITE  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The newest baseball scandal has given impetus to the ever recurrent demand for a boxing "dictator" whose duties would be similar to those of Commissioner K. M. Landis, czar of the diamond game.

Derections from copybook conduct among fighters are more common than among ball players, according to most followers of professional sport, and a cry for a "thorough airing out" of the prize ring has been gaining in volume and vehemence.

Difficulties in the way of immediate selection of a commission of boxing are obvious. Baseball was already an organized, interstate proposition before Judge Landis appeared to take the reins, and boxing is ruled over by state boards, with hundreds of petty jealousies to deal with the national association of the sport thus far has failed to function satisfactorily.

Other States Interested

Attention of other states, however, is directed toward New York which may soon turn to a one-man overseer of boxing.

Governor Smith is expected to abolish the present athletic commission and appoint a man who has the confidence of fans and boxers alike to control ring activities in the state.

The present commission of three has done little to forward the sport. Commissioners Farley, Muldoon and Brower have disagreed on virtually every important question put before them and have aroused managerial ire by considering making a part of their business.

Governor Angry?

The recent arrest of Gene Tunney at the reported behest of Commissioner Farley is said to have aroused the governor's indignation. Many of the fans believed the heavyweight champion was persecuted for political reasons and Governor Smith, not a boxing enthusiast himself, has been embarrassed by some of the trick rulings and actions of the athletic commission.

If a boxing dictator should prove capable within New York state, eliminating much of the present shoddiness, an increase of his duties to national scope would be possible.

Responsible officials of every state are anxious to clean house with the pugilistic game but are hampered under existing conditions because of the situation which permits a boxer disqualified in one state to fight in another.

**GREENLEAF WINS**

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Ralph Greenleaf, world pocket billiard champion, won his 750 point exhibition match with Charles Harmon, 750 to 309, here last night.

## TROJANS HAVE BIG SCHEDULE FOR NEXT YEAR

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 24.—The University of Southern California next season will have its most attractive football schedule in years despite the fact that neither Notre Dame nor Stanford will be played on the home grounds.

Four out of five scheduled Pacific conference games will be played here, all against strong opponents and good drawing cards.

The Oregon Aggies, whose only conference defeat this season came at the hands of the Trojans, will show here October 8. The attendance at this encounter should break all early season records.

California, defeated this year for the first time in history by Southern California, plays here October 29. Washington State, with "Butch" Meeker, comes November 19. Meeker is a local favorite and on present indications should be backed by the strongest team in the northwest.

Washington university, for the first time in history, plays Southern California here. The difficulty in persuading Coach Bagshaw to come south, with the fact that the Huskies turned in a 20-0 victory the last time the teams met insures a sell-out for that game.

Tentative home games have been arranged with Occidental and Santa Clara, Occidental to open the season September 24 and Santa Clara to play here October 1.

present major leagues and bid for the support of all baseball followers.

In New Haven, Conn., Joe Wood came home to tell his story to the Yale Athletic council, which has him engaged as baseball coach. He denied all wrong doing and there was every indication that Yale would stand by him.

It became evident that Sepaker and Cobb in particular had such a hold on the fans that the baseball world would not permit them to fall as broken idols until the whole story was told.

Ty Cobb arrived in his native Georgia today to find resolutions by his home town council awaiting him expressing the confidence of the home folks in him. Cobb, through the United Press, appealed to fans and to the "kids" in particular to withhold judgment until he had been given a chance to vindicate himself.

In Cleveland, while Speaker remained silent, there was talk of the formation of a new baseball league, with Speaker managing a Cleveland team and Cobb a Detroit club, to compete with the

In Detroit, Frank Rippington, 14-year-old fan, appealed to the kids of the country to maintain their confidence in Cobb.

Down in Texas fan after fan came forward refusing to believe Speaker, himself a Texas, had done wrong and telling stories of how Speaker had always been known among his old friends there as a man who never wagered money on anything.

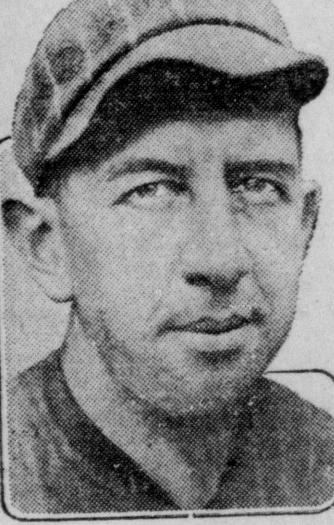
"Dutch" Leonard remained at his California ranch, refusing direct comment but apparently heedful of the fact that in some quarters there is a tendency to criticize him for his part not only in the alleged deal to throw the Detroit-Cleveland game in 1919 but in the expose of the affair.

Ban Johnson, in Chicago, maintained in the meantime that Cobb, Speaker, Wood and Leonard are through with baseball for all times, as far as the organized game is concerned and indicated that it was because of the approaching expose that Cobb and Speaker retired a short time ago.

UTTLEY'S THE WARDROBE

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BACK TO FIRST LOVE



EDDIE COLLINS

Back with his first love. That's Eddie Collins, veteran second baseman and former manager of the Chicago White Sox, who has signed with Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics. Collins entered baseball from Columbia university as a member of the A's.

Winslett in Lineup

The big drawing card of the affair, Rated by such authorities as Knute Rockne, "Pop" Warner and Ted Jones as the second greatest center in the nation and by many other competent judges as the Best pivot man in the country, Cravath needs no introduction to local sport followers. He is a Santa Ana boy and gained his earlier gridiron experience in this city. Tomorrow will mark the first game the U. S. C. captain has played here since 1921.

Tevis Westgate, the former Oriental player, and Ferris Scott, varsity center at Pomona last season, will start at guards. "Bart" Cock, for three years a varsity tackle at California, and Bill Cole, the giant U. S. C. line coach, will

start at the tackle berths. Howard Lutz, former captain of the California Aggies, and "Pat" Bryan, erstwhile Nebraska

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# Attractions at Santa Ana Theaters

## CONNOR TWINS HERE AGAIN NEXT SUNDAY

The Connor twins, who were featured here in a Fanchon and Marco "Idea," several weeks ago, return next Sunday at the Walker theater in "Follies of 1926," a brilliant West Coast Theaters presentation.

They are two very talented and beautiful girls who were born and raised in Texas. They just grew up singing harmony numbers and are still doing it to a matchless perfection and with rare artistry which captivates and holds.

The stage was always their ambition. They started out in amateur theatricals in their early teens. Then their folks moved to Hollywood and they came along also. They were introduced to Gus Edwards who signed them in his current show. They made a wonderful hit. They were later engaged for the Follies—played a triumphant season and then were engaged for two seasons by two national vaudeville circuits. At the end of those contracts they played an engagement for Fanchon and Marco in San Francisco—returned to the Follies, and from thence to Los Angeles where they were booked by Fanchon and Marco for a tour of the West Coast circuit.

### WALKER THEATER

"Taxi-Taxi," the Edward Everett Horton farce comedy, opened yesterday with a bang at the Walker theater. It has been hailed as the funniest film of the year, and as near as we can tell, it lives up to all advance billings. It runs again tonight and Christmas day.

Horton has been in pictures for the last few years, when he has not been in legitimate stock productions, but has never before starred in his own right. "Poker Faces," the comedy in which he shared honors with Laura La Plante, was in Santa Ana several weeks ago and served to make a name for Horton.

"Taxi-Taxi" is one of the most hilarious stories we have had the pleasure of seeing. The laughs are developed through a series of outlandish situations, and Horton himself adds his own little touches.

On the stage is a Fanchon and Marco vaudeville show, featuring Way Watts and his band, with George Green, Kathleen Picture, Buddy Brown and De La Plaza and Juanita.

### YOST BROADWAY THEATER

A snappy song and dance revue, one that differs enough from the usual performances to make it worth while heads the Association Vaudeville program coming to the Yost Broadway tonight. Music, comedy, dance and melody are well blended with the result being one of



A scene from the third act of "Rain," play coming to the Yost Spurgeon theater December 30.

the most delightfully entertaining shows that have come to the Yost for some time.

Two vocalists in fine voice, an accompanist with exceptional expression and two dancers of exquisite grace and harmony of motion make the Harry Keesler revue the most artistic on the hill. The revue is heightened in its artistic presentation by a stage setting unique and colorful in design.

Eddie Black and Claire O'Donnell's latest offering which they call "Everybody Welcome" is a refreshing comedy skit with a story, songs, violin music and some of the best dancing of the season by Eddie Black.

An offering with variety and novelty exemplified in that which will be offered by the Nagyfys, who cover themselves chiefly with fire.

The act while daring and defying all the physical laws of nature is done with such apparent simplicity that the danger that is attached to flames is forgotten.

At "The Musical Mimic," Jack Lipton will be heard with imitations of musical instruments. All his reproductions of instrumental tunes will be done by means of the throat and lips alone.

Claude M. Roode and Estelle Francis present "Something Different."



John Gilbert and Eleanor Boardman in a scene from "Barclays the Magnificent," picture opening Sunday at the West Coast-Walker theater.



Mae Martin of the Harry Keesler revue, now playing in vaudeville at the Yost Broadway theater.

## WOMAN VICTOR IN FIGHT WITH WOLF

Although Germany was helping more than 2,000,000 unemployed not long ago, the number now has dropped to less than 1,400,000.

An acre of good fishing ground at sea yielded more food in a week than an acre of the best land will give in a year.

She was Mrs. Peter Ponrado, who lives with her family in a small cabin at Camp Nine Stanislaus, near Angels camp.

Working about the little room today, with the door open, she heard a snarl behind her. She turned, and there, the hair erect on his back and his jaws dripping, crouched the great animal, about to leap.

"He stood nearly three feet tall. His lips were curled back and his teeth were glistening. I was terrified. My first thought was to escape," she said, afterward. "But then I saw my two little ones—I knew what that meant. And then the beast attacked!"

She fought with all the desperate fury of a mother whose young are threatened. Her clothes were torn to shreds, the flesh on her hands and arms cruelly ripped by the wolf's fangs. She staggered back under animal's weight, and by luck grasped a chair. She swung it with all the force at her command at the snarling terror that was upon her.

In pain, the wolf leaped out of the door. Then it turned back to attack again, but the woman was too quick. She barred the door. The animal leaped at the window. Mrs. Ponrado's screams by this time had brought help in the person of Charles Avery, occupant of a neighboring cabin. Avery leveled a rifle and fired. The bullet ripped through the wolf's neck, and the beast rolled down an embankment. Another shot was fired into its body and it vanished into the underbrush.

Mrs. Ponrado's wounds are not dangerous, according to the surgeon who treated her.

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 24.—F. J. Wilkinson, of the U. S. army, was found frozen to death under a mesquite tree in the mountains, 45 miles from here, yesterday.

Sergeant Wilkinson, assigned to this state as a National Guard instructor, had been hunted by a searching party for more than five hours.

He had headed a hunting party of local citizens and left them, failing to reappear at the appointed spot.

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# ATTRACTIOMS AT LOCAL THEATERS



Marguerite de la Motte and William Boyd in a scene from "The Last Frontier," picture coming to the Yost Broadway theater.

## SEATS ON SALE FOR 'RAIN,' 'BLONDIES'

Seats go on sale at the Yost theater today for "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," the comedy which will be presented there December 28 and also for "Rain," the dramatic play of the South Seas which will be here December 30.

Those who have read the book, "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," will find that Anita Loos, who wrote it, and her husband, John Emerson, have succeeded in fashioning it into a delightful play.

"Rain" is a world famous success, a drama of dignity and tremendous power. It is said to sweep the emotions of the audience almost beyond control. For four years it has been the reigning dramatic attraction of America.

### YOST THEATER

Every person who ever thrived at the music, the clowns, the freaks, the animals and the stunts performed in the sawdust ring of a circus should visit the Yost theater Sunday and Monday and see the circus motion picture, "Christine of the Big Tops," produced by Banner Productions and capably directed by Archibald Mayo. It is high class entertainment which hands the audiences a wallop when the main circus tent collapses during a storm, kills the proprietor, leaving pretty Christine, the trapeze performer, free to marry young Dr. "Bob" Hastings after he has saved her life through a surgical operation so delicate that it seems miraculous.

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Here are Hollywood's red-heads. They are (left to right): Clara Bow, Ethel Shannon, Barbara Kent, Jocelyn Lee and (below) Majel Coleman.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 24.—Out in this hamlet of sets and kleig lights there is a small group of girls who have one thing in common—their red hair.

Foremost of these titian-haired beauties is Clara Bow, who often has been termed "queen of movie red-heads." Clara has won her way to the top in a short time.

Jocelyn Lee started her career in the chorus of George White's "Scandals." Later she was featured in Flo Ziegfeld's "Follies." It was while dancing for Ziegfeld that Jocelyn received an offer to go into pictures.

When Ethel Shannon was a kid

she used to have no end of fights because other youngsters teased her about her red hair. But now she gives thanks for this flaming thatch. When Ethel finished school she wanted to try her luck in movies. So she "hooked" the family piano for \$135—enough to bring her here from Denver. She recently signed a five-year contract, she will be appearing on the silver screen now and then for some time to come.

Then there's Barbara Kent, 17, auburn-haired favorite of the Universal lot. Barbara has only

one complaint. On the screen they are brunettes. They are pulling strong for technicolor photography.

### WALKER THEATER

King Vidor-John Gilbert. This, the greatest director-star combination the screen has ever known, already responsible for "The Big Parade" and "La Boheme," represents the talent, artistry, and ability of "Bradley's the Magnificent," the picture coming to the Walker theater Sunday.

The picture, one of the most vivid spectacles ever made for the screen, is from Rafael Sabatini's famous story of medieval France. Vidor also figures as an author in the picture version, having, with Dorothy Farnum, adapted the colorful romance to the screen.

Huge castles, great crowd scenes, court functions in gorgeous costumes, all figure in the spectacular part of the picture. The story, conceded to be the masterpiece of the author of

"Scaramouche," "The Sea Hawk," and others, provide an amazing display of Gilbert's versatility. He fights some ferocious duels, for which he trained under the tutelage of an expert swordsman for several weeks; swims a raging river on horseback, pole vaults out of the grasp of his enemies and does a score of other equally dangerous and astounding stunts.

On the stage is Fanchon and Marco's "Follies of 1900" featuring the Connor Twins, Lewis and Kellogg, Monty and Karmo, Eileen Flory, Frank O'Farrell and the Sunkist Beauties.

Farmers of the Canadian north-west are laying out golf courses for their own use.

SPRINGDALE, Dec. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wentzel are entertaining at their houseguests, Mrs. Wentzel's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Adding Ruby and their daughter, Miss Cora Ruby, and a friend, who will winter in California with them. The visitors arrived Saturday from Colorado Springs. The trip was made by stage. Mrs. Ruby, who claims the ripe old age of 86 years, standing the ride splendidly.

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## SANTA ANA FRATERNAL AND PATRIOTIC ORDERS

### ARRANGE JOINT CEREMONY FOR INSTALLATION

The Santa Ana lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold a joint installation with Santa Ana temple, Pythian Sisters, probably the second Wednesday evening in January, according to a vote taken at the regular meeting this week of the knights. An invitation had been extended by the Pythian district council to join with the other eight lodges in the district in a joint installation, but the lodge found it could not change its plans to coincide with those of the council.

Edward W. Cochems, past chancellor commander of the Santa Ana lodge, at present a member of the board of trustees, has been named district deputy grand chancellor and has assumed the duties of his office. It was announced at the meeting this week, Cochems is considered by the members of the Santa Ana lodge as one of the most active workers in the realm of Southern California Pythianism and he was warmly congratulated upon his appointment to the high office. He will shortly begin a regular schedule of visits to the nine lodges in his district.

J. A. Gadjeski, chancellor commander-elect, reported that the new officers are rapidly mastering their ritualistic work and will be well prepared for the joint installation. The entertainment committee will take charge of the meeting after the lodge work. Friends of members are to be invited to witness the ceremonies.

Dr. W. F. Kistinger and Arthur Haarstad were invested with the rank of knight at the meeting Wednesday evening. Several applications for membership were read.

### Christmas Party For Thimble Club

Mrs. Hattie Peters, 110 West First street, was hostess Wednesday to the Martha Washington Thimble club, when its members met for their annual Christmas party.

Following an afternoon of conversation and sewing, each member was presented with a gift in honor of the holiday season. Christmas refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those who were present included Mrs. Hattie Peters, hostess, Mrs. Belle Alderman, Mrs. Mae Curtis, Mrs. Docia Jasper, Mrs. Badie House, Mrs. Florence Somerville, Mrs. Mamie McDonald, Mrs. Leota Allen, Mrs. Stella Henderson, Mrs. Covey, Mrs. Mae Foster, Mrs. Mamie Zimmerman, Mrs. Elizabeth Jernigan and Mrs. Pauline Decker.

### Hermosa Chapter In Holiday Party

Instead of bringing gifts for one another Monday night when members of Hermosa chapter, O. E. S., held their Christmas party, each one who attended brought a book which was sent to the Masonic home for children at Covina, as a Christmas gift from Santa Anna.

A short program, which included readings by Miss Marion Hants, cello solos by Edward Burns, and a number of Christmas legends by Miss Anna Trythall, was presented, while all gathered around the Christmas tree.

After a brief time spent in enjoying the tree, the hostess committee presented each guest with a special Christmas treat.

### Odd Fellows Have Big Turkey Dinner

Ninety-seven members of the Veteran Odd Fellows' association gathered in the Odd Fellows hall, Tuesday evening, to enjoy the annual turkey dinner.

The committee in charge decided that this year the women of the Veteran Rebekahs should enjoy the feast without the attendant hard work, so the Pennant cafe management served the dinner. The president, Ed F. Waite, called upon a number of guests for remarks.

These included W. B. Tedford, Dr. C. D. Ball and A. Butz, for the Odd Fellows, and Mrs. Hattie E. Peters, for the Rebekahs.

### Star Will Hold Christmas Party

Members of Santa Ana chapter, O. E. S., are looking forward with pleasure to the Christmas party, to be held for them and their children, Monday night, in Masonic temple. The chapter rooms will be decorated in green and red for the occasion and there will be a huge Christmas tree, purchased especially for the chapter party. As the party is partly in their honor, the children will present the program, which will include readings, carols and other musical numbers.



### Mission Bells' Restoration to Be Undertaken

Restoration of the mission bells, used to mark El Camino Real, the trail of the padres, is a new project of Santa Ana parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, initiated at the meeting of the order Wednesday night. A committee was appointed to determine the number of road markers in Orange county, by whom they were erected, and to gain permission to restore them to the proper places. Communications were sent to the Los Angeles and San Diego parlors, asking them to co-operate in this endeavor, so that the early California missions will again be connected by the "trail of the padres."

Grand Trustee Frank T. Newlan, of Los Angeles, was a guest of the parlor and explained the workings and ambitions of the order. Following his talk, the officers-elect were put through a mock initiation for instruction and practice.

A purse was made up by the members for Christmas cheer among the homeless children who are being protected by the order.

### UNION VETERANS' DAUGHTERS MEET

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War met Tuesday afternoon, in G. A. R. hall, for the last meeting over which Mrs. Sarah Brown, president, will preside, as her term of office expires January 1. Guests at the meeting included Mr. Turner, of Santa Ana; T. E. Niles, of Garden Grove, who presented the daughters with a large box of chocolates, and Joseph Moore, commander of Sons of Veterans, who complimented the daughters on the promptness with which they completed various phases of their regular work.

The tent accepted an invitation from the Rachel Alien tent, Santa Monica, to attend the installation of officers of that lodge, January 5. Chapter rooms are situated at 141 Third street, Santa Monica.

Christmas boxes will be sent to two needy families in Santa Anna and a number of boxes will be sent to Sawtelle, according to announcement made Tuesday afternoon.

A committee was appointed to take charge of the pot luck supper, to be held Monday night, in G. A. R. hall.

### WINTERSBURG

WINTERSBURG, Dec. 24.—The banquet and business meeting of the Wintersburg Men's club was an event of Tuesday evening. The banquet was served by two of the classes of the Methodist Sunday school, the girls' class, Mrs. E. M. Fox, teacher, and the boys' class, Mr. Carpenter, teacher. Covers were laid for 21 persons. Present were the Rev. J. R. Carpenter, W. F. Slater, John Murdy, E. M. Fox, R. L. Tiebaud, W. H. Whitemore, Prof. R. A. Shostag, Edwin Sizer, Ray Breeding, E. Ray Moore, O. Kanaway, Clarence Breeding, Elmer Gothard, Ralph Clay, J. J. Sizer, Gus Worthy, Sherman Buck, J. Peavey, John Stinson and two visitors, Ray Shafer, of Davis Agricultural college, and Normand Ruoff, of the San Diego Military academy, both of whom are holiday guests of relatives in the community.

Five new members, Sherman Buck, John Stinson, John Peavey, J. J. Sizer and Gus Worthy, were taken into the society that evening. J. A. Murdy Jr., who was in charge of the program for the evening, introduced Miss Margaret Livingston, county librarian, who spoke on the subject of library work and the possibilities of Wintersburg securing a branch library. A delightful musical program was a feature of the evening, two selections being given by a trio composed of Mrs. J. R. Carpenter, flute; Charles Carpenter, piano, and David Carpenter, violin, and two solos by Norman Ruoff, violin, and two by Ray Shafer, cornet. Quite a number from this community were present Wednesday evening at the Moose Christmas program at Antler's hall, Huntington Beach, where Santa Claus appeared, giving the children a happy party.

Among those attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kanaway and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frost and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sizer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hicks, William Sparks, Mrs. Eva Hazard

### PRESIDENT OF GRAND PARLOR IS GUEST HERE

Monday was a gay day for the members of Santa Ana parlor, No. 225, Native Daughters of the Golden West, as it was the first birthday anniversary of the parlor and also marked the official visit of the grand president, Mrs. Pearl Lamb, of Tracy, who is visiting the parlors of the Southland. She was accompanied here by Mrs. Bertha Hitt, district deputy grand president, of Long Beach.

The parlor's birthday was celebrated with dinner at St. Ann's Inn, at 6 o'clock. The dining room was decorated with Christmas emblems. The grand president was the guest of honor and covers were laid for 32.

The special meeting in honor of the coming of Mrs. Lamb was held in Knights of Columbus hall, following the banquet, and was well attended. A Christmas tree, shining with ornaments and tinsel and lighted electrically, occupied a prominent place and held bags of candy and popcorn balls for all.

Four candidates were initiated and one was balloted upon for membership. The new members are Miss Ruth Hayhurst, of Garden Grove, Mrs. Alice Taublie and Mrs. Grace Froelich, Santa Ana, and Mrs. Eva Boggs, Whittier. Mrs. W. L. Ridgway will be initiated at the next meeting, January 11, in El Camino hall, corner Third and Ross streets.

The grand president, in her address, praised the Santa Ana parlor for its progress during the year of life and stated that many old parlors were not as proficient in their work. Mrs. Marion Conn Schonberg, president of Santa Ana parlor, presented Mrs. Lamb with a silver bread tray and Mrs. Hitt with a cluster of wax flowers. Mrs. Hitt responded.

Mrs. Mae West was chairman for the entertainment of the evening. Her committee served sandwiches and coffee after the meeting.

A program was a feature of the evening's entertainment. Miss Virginia Pope rendered two Spanish solos, accompanied by Mrs. Don S. Mozley; little Miss Muriel Bray danced "The Christmas Spirit" and Mrs. Frieda Messer Barger, organist for the parlor, pleased with a rendition of "I Love You, California."

TAX CUT ON USED CARS HELD LEGAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—An automobile dealer is legally entitled to reduce his inventory on used cars by 25 percent to cover the cost of selling them in making up his income and profits tax returns, in the opinion of the board of tax apportionment.

A decision was rendered in the appeal taken by the Lord Motor company of Los Angeles which had been assessed an additional \$1500. The commissioner of internal revenue contended that the taxpayer should have figured his tax on the basis of the full value of the secondhand cars on hand. This, it was admitted, was on the basis of the price allowed the former owners of the cars, plus the cost of reconditioning them. The taxpayers deducted 25 percent additional on the ground that it would cost that much to sell the cars and that therefore their value was only three-fourths of the amount shown in the inventory.

Andy Miller, of Torrance, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jenkins. In the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and their guest attended theater in Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, of Los Angeles, brother-in-law and sister of W. F. Slater, were Thursday evening visitors at the Slater home.

The place to eat Xmas Dinner—Pennant Cafe, 311 North Main.

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### GIRLS PROVIDE CHILDREN WITH YULETIDE FUN

Santa Claus gave out gifts to the children of the day nursery of Santa Ana this afternoon. Christmas was brought to them by the girls of the Santa Ana junior college Y. W. C. A., who put on a program.

About 30 little tots gathered about the brightly-lighted tree for the event.

A Christmas reading was given by Miss Lois Green. The story of the first Christmas was related by Miss Norma Forman. The part of Santa Claus in the distribution of gifts, provided by the Philathean class of the First Baptist church, was enacted by Miss Enid Twist.

Each year, the girls of the Santa Ana Y. W. C. A. give a program for the children at the day nursery. The committee of college girls who planned the affair this year consisted of Misses Ruth Davis, chairman, Lois Green, Ruth Crawford and Mary Griset.

### RICHFIELD WELL FLOWS 3450 BBLs

RICHFIELD, Dec. 24.—Oil was flowing today at the rate of 3450 barrels for the 24-hour period from Tyne No. 1, said to be the best deep sand oil well yet drilled in the Richfield district. It was brought in by the Merchants' Petroleum company, last night. The Continental holds the drilling contract.

According to men familiar with developments at Richfield, more drilling activity has been noted there at the present time, than at any time since 1919. The General Petroleum brought in Thompson No. 9, a 1200-barrel well, yesterday, and about 33 other rigs are at work now. It was intimated that other operators plan to drill there in the very near future.

### GARDEN GROVE

GARDEN GROVE, Dec. 24.—The following motored to the San Fernando hospital for World war veterans, Sunday, taking gifts and presenting a program: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Colwell, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hevener, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryan and son, Walter; Mr. and Mrs. W. Reynolds, Henry Bryan and Mrs. Clara Bryan and daughter, Miss Hazel All. Orange county units of the American Legion and Auxiliary helped present a program.

Miss Esterline Slyhouse, of San Dimos, was guest over the weekend at the home of Miss Lona Holt.

Wayne Holt and Kenneth Duncan spent Monday hunting at Wildomar.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ford spent Wednesday evening in Long Beach.

Miss Florence Pearson, Miss Velda Barnes and Miss Lona Holt attend the presentation of "Elizah" at Pomona college recently.

Mrs. Jack L. Abbott and little daughter, of Huntington Park, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Arkley.

Mrs. H. W. Christensen and children spent Tuesday with Mrs. Christensen's grandmother, Mrs. H. Longstaff, at Arizona.

Miss Virginia Barnes left Friday evening for Winters to spend the holiday vacation with her parents. Miss Barnes, who is a student in the local high school, has been making her home with her sister, Mrs. Wayne Holt.

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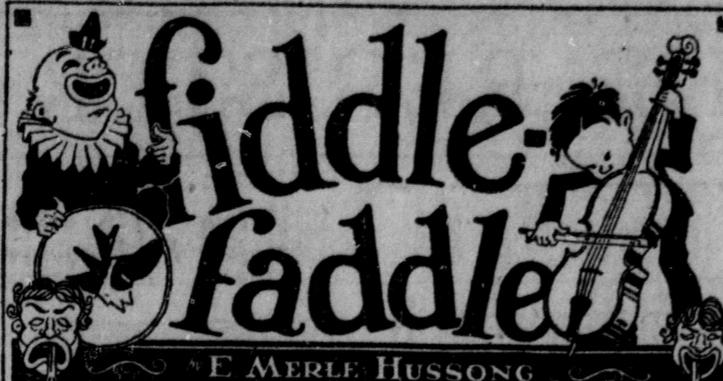
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Suggestion has been made that the words "Prevent Fires" be stamped on all California motor license plates. Good suggestion. It seems it has come too late to be of any benefit this year, because the form and design for the 1927 plates already have been chosen, but it is not too early to make plans for 1928. That slogan cannot be driven too solidly into the California conscience and, instead of all the silly, blowzy flapper mottoes now adorning the tin strips, something substantial will be a relief and a pleasure.

Officers of the junior chamber of commerce had thought that, once the Santa Ana boys' chorus has been established on a firm financial basis, the surplus money might be used to start a fund for the purchase of a pipe organ, to be placed in the city park. San Diego has somewhat of a similar plan in operation, with the exception that the Spreckels family provided the organ and pays the organist. Concerts are given every day. A prominent musician in Santa Ana said the idea was a good one, but would never succeed in Santa Ana because only five percent of the people are interested in pipe organ music. Maybe so—it wouldn't hurt the remaining 95 percent to become acquainted with pipe organ music.

Orange county is soon to embark upon an extensive publicity campaign in the Los Angeles Examiner, Los Angeles Times and the Long Beach Press-Telegram. Eastern visitors will be informed of the advantages of Orange county in full page notices. In connection with that plan, wonder what became of the plan to run special motor busses to Orange county from Los Angeles? It is one thing to attract attention to the county and another to get the people down here. Bus idea should be carried out in 1927.

Harold Wahlberg, Orange county farm advisor, chased around all Wednesday night, notifying citrus growers of the danger from frost and instructing them in the proper way to light their smudge pots. In that respect he was a modern Paul Revere. He probably saved the growers thousands of dollars and his efforts were a direct contribution to the prosperity of Orange county in the coming year. He stayed up until 5 o'clock, snatched a few hours sleep and

was on the job again for a full day's work as farm advisor. Good fellow to tie to, this fellow Wahlberg. A word of praise and appreciation now and then won't hurt the best of men.

The Stanford-Alameda football game in Pasadena, January 1, will have the largest audience in the history of American football. The crowd will be scattered from San Diego to Bangor, Me., some of them huddled before fires, earphones glued to their ears. Others will be gathered in front of loud speakers. The California climate will be impressed upon their mind every time a player advances the ball a few feet on the green Pasadena bowl turf. Through an arrangement with KFI, of Los Angeles, V EAF, of New York, and associated stations will broadcast the game. Graham McNamee, the Babe Ruth of radio announcing, will describe the game. Thus, radio is employed to boost California in the winter time. Might not be a bad idea to have a few references to Santa Ana made by Mr. McNamee.

Antar Deraga, government weather observer in Newport Beach, is highly in favor of Orange county buying one square mile of level, unobstructed land for use as a first class airplane base. He says that it would be a great benefit to Orange county and aid in national defense. The climate and location are the second best in the United States, San Diego being first. Nature has provided, according to Deraga, a perfect harbor and aviation center for manufacturing, commerce, mail, passenger and express services, national defense and scientific study of the upper air and aeronautics. No destructive hurricanes, tornadoes, snow storms, blizzards, long, heavy storms; precipitation of only 12 inches seasonal, visibility classified as good in average, high winds only in winter months and only two to eight times for the season. General air circulation or ventilation at surface, so important for manufacture and agriculture, also to health of population, is excellent.

"Now is the time to buy one square mile of level, unobstructed land where, in a short time, aircraft manufacturing and air transportation must be centered in an adequate county-owned airdrome, which will be self-supporting in a short time," Deraga said.

## DEER CHARGES MAN, BUT LOSES BATTLE

## AUTO CRASH KILLS STORE EXECUTIVE

SANTA ROSE, Calif., Dec. 24.—Poising his superb antlers for a wicked horizontal thrust, distending his great nostrils to blow an awesome warning, a lordly buck deer charged, with little or no provocation, at Kanayo Nagasawa. Nagasawa had noicker-sneeze. Indeed, he had not so much as a pitchfork. But he had in his veins a bit of the blood that urges Japan's present emperor to fight a while longer against death.

He stood his ground, as he had stood it for 70 years.

Stalwart despite his age, Nagasawa grasped the lowered antlers when the buck advanced. The buck with an easy toss of his great head, swung Nagasawa off the ground. There Nagasawa hung, twisting the horns with all his strength.

The buck stood it for 15 minutes. Then he weakened and under Nagasawa's weight dropped to the ground. A moment later he had been lassoed by Nagasawa's ranch employees.

## Lock Up Servants, Then Loot House

AZUSA, Calif., Dec. 24.—After looking two servants in a closet, two bandits ransacked the palatial residence of Mrs. John Lindley, on Foothill boulevard, rear here, and escaped with \$2000 in money and clothing.

While the house was being looted, Mrs. Lindley's two sons, John and Dow, returned, and they were also locked in the closet.

After collecting the money and clothing, the burglars drove off in a roadster belonging to the Lindleys.

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## "O Little Town of Bethlehem"

O little town of Bethlehem,  
How still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep  
The silent stars go by;  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth  
The everlasting Light;  
The hopes and fears of all the years  
Are met in thee tonight.

For Christ is born of Mary,  
And, gathered all above,  
While mortals sleep, the angels keep  
Their watch of wondering love.  
O morning stars, together  
Proclaim the holy birth!  
And praises sing to God the King,  
And peace to men on earth.

How silently, how silently,  
The wondrous gift is heaven!  
So God imparts to human hearts  
The blessings of His heaven.  
No ear may hear His coming,  
But in this world of sin,  
Where meek souls will receive Him still,  
The dear Christ enters in.

O holy Child of Bethlehem!  
Descend to us, we pray;  
Cast out our sin, and enter in.  
Be born in us today.  
We hear the Christmas angels  
The great glad tidings tell;  
Oh come to us, abide with us,  
Our Lord Emmanuel!

—Phillips Brooks.

## ORANGE COUNTY APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AWAIT JANUARY 1 TO RECEIVE YULETIDE GIFTS

At least 15 Orange county citizens will not take down their stockings after Christmas, but will leave them hanging by the public fireplace for a few days beyond Yuletide, to allow belated gifts to drop in.

These hopeful citizens are all Orange county officials and the appointments to their respective jobs. The county board of supervisors is slated for the role of Santa Claus.

**Select New Chairman**  
One of the first tasks awaiting the county board after it effects its own organization and elects a chairman to replace the veteran leader, Thomas B. Talbert, whose 17 years of service will expire on January 2, will be to fill the various appointive offices in which the terms of incumbents expire. A list being prepared for the board by County Clerk J. M. Backs includes almost the entire staff of appointive officials.

Among them are J. E. Pleasant, county bee inspector; Frank Lamar, county garage custodian; J. B. Irwin, county park custodian; R. E. Laiter, caretaker at Westminster park; W. S. Gregg, county aid commissioner; Dr. H. E. Zaiser, superintendent of the county hospital and farm; W. E. Adkinson, county fire and game warden; Charles C. Carrillo, county interpreter; Dr. H. L. Wilkins, county veterinarian and livestock inspector; Dr. V. G. Presson, county health officer; J. L. McBride, superintendent of highways; William Varcoe, humane officer; Dr. F. W. Slabaugh, county purchasing agent; Dan Patrick, courthouse janitor; George Benedict, courthouse gardener.

Several other appointive officials will not be before the board for reappointment, their terms not having expired. Prominent among them is A. A. Brock, county horticultural commissioner. Brock's four-year appointment has not yet been completed. Most appointive offices are filled for two-year terms, and these include the appointments to be made next month, according to Backs.

**Few Changes Predicted**  
So far as is known, little or no change is contemplated in the present official family. Most of the officials have served for years and their appointment is regarded

## Not Out of Custom

But out of the fullness of grateful appreciation we wish you

## Christmas Happiness and the New Year's Best

Santa Ana Hardware Co.  
108 WEST FOURTH STREET

Season's



Greetings

PARSON'S Drug Store

J. FRED PARSONS, Proprietor

FOURTH STREET AT BUSH

Spend Christmas and Christmas Eve at

PARRY'S SEAL BEACH

Big Serpentine Frolic—Dining, Dancing, Entertainment. Make your New Years reservations now. Ph. Long Beach 318-211.

Old Acquaintances Are  
Not Forgot

We do not forget our many friends and patrons with whom we have had so many pleasant transactions during the year past, but the memory of our happy associations is one of the things which makes our own Christmas brighter all the while. We are wishing for you a cup of joy brimming over with good things for the holiday season, and throughout 1927.

NEW  
YEAR

Orange County Trust and Savings Bank

## —OFFICERS—

C. L. Cotant, President  
J. E. Liebig, Vice President  
Clyde Bishop, Vice President  
F. C. Robinson, Vice President  
George E. Peters, Cashier  
T. H. Warne, Asst. Cashier  
Chas. E. Sauers, Asst. Cashier

## DAILY FEATURE PAGE OF THE REGISTER

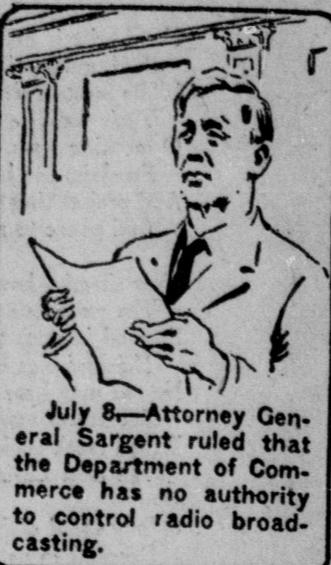
## THE PICTURE STORY OF 1926



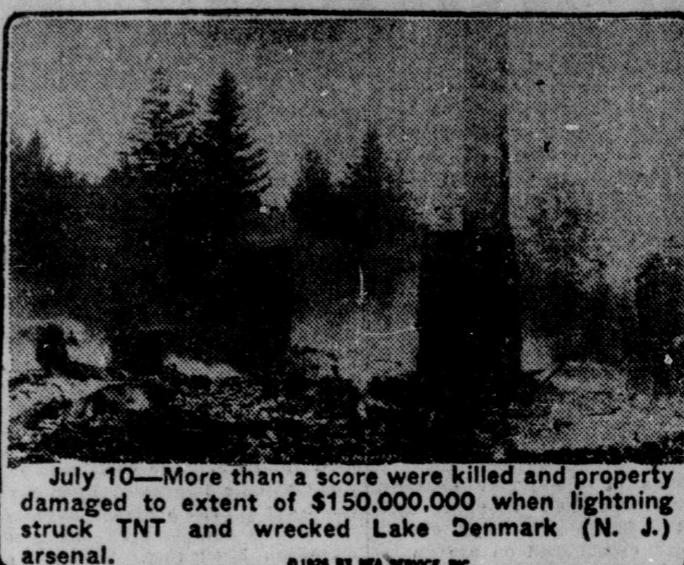
June 26—Between 500 and 1000 people were killed in flood at Leon, State of Guanajuato, Mexico.



July 7—President and Mrs. Coolidge arrived at White Pines Camp in the Adirondacks for their vacation.



July 8.—Attorney General Sargent ruled that the Department of Commerce has no authority to control radio broadcasting.



July 10—More than a score were killed and property damaged to extent of \$150,000,000 when lightning struck TNT and wrecked Lake Denmark (N. J.) arsenal.

Sketches By Kroesen  
Synopsis By Braucher

(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The reindeers clung to the steigh. The reindeers pawed upon their way, and all in all, it surely was a very thrilling ride. Old Santa smiled a friendly smile, 'cause that was always Santa's style. He knew that he would surely be at everybody's fireside.

Of course, this all took place last night, and now old Santa's out of sight. He called upon the boys and girls and left them lots of toys. Right now we know that, bless his soul, he's headed back to his North Pole. He's satisfied that he has spread a lot of Christmas joys.

And in the meantime all the band of Tinymites were still on hand. Today we find them riding down a monstrous icy hill. Old Santa gave them all a sled for Christmas; then the old man said, "Now please be careful so you do not spill."

The Tinies all feel good because they surely love old Santa

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## Queer Quirks of NATURE -

BIRDS NEED SANTA CLAUS WHEN SNOW COMES

By ARTHUR N. PACK

President, American Nature Ass'n.

After the Christmas tree has served its appointed purpose of bringing joy to the children, it may be planted outdoors and laden with gifts for the birds, for this is their season of stress.

If the weather be mild and open, they have small need of our bounty, for the fruit will cling to woodbine and pokeweed and holly, the seed of a million weeds is on field and roadside, and the insects wintering beneath the leaves and grass, furnish them a feast.

But when the snow drifts deep, or the ice-storm seals from their search the bountiful which Nature has provided, then our help is welcome. With the earliest dawn they are up and about, seeking whatever we may spare from our abundance.

Then may the discarded Christmas tree enter on its second period of usefulness. Bind to its trunk and branches some bags of suet; suspend from its stoutest limb the halves of an opened cocoanut; clear at its base a space of ground, and then scatter bread crumbs, and parings and bones with bits of meat and fat adhering, or rolled oats or corn flakes, almost any-



Birds' Christmas Tree

thing in the way of eatables. Junco and sparrow and chickadee and cardinal, even the blue jay, will flock to the feast. Thus may we help them, and also help ourselves, for the sight of them at their feast will more than repay us for the small effort.

## Today's Anniversaries

1800—An attempt was made at Paris to assassinate Napoleon Bonaparte by an infernal machine.

1846—A bill for the admission of Iowa to the union was taken up in the U. S. senate.

1851—Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, was given an enthusiastic reception in Philadelphia.

1852—More than 50 lives lost when the emigrant steamship St. George burned at sea.

1863—William Makepeace Thackeray, the famous novelist, died in London. Born in Calcutta, July 18, 1811.

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# NEWS from ORANGE COUNTY

## RIG BUILDER LOSES FOOT IN H. B. ACCIDENT

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 24.—J. Harrison, of 25 West Seventy-seventh street, Los Angeles, had his left foot severed in a concrete mixer, while at work in the Huntington Beach oil fields this morning, according to a report from the Oil Fields Emergency hospital.

Harrison is a member of the firm of Harrison and Frank, oil well rig builders. The accident occurred when Harrison slipped while at work on a rig.

The injured man was rushed to the hospital, where he was treated by Dr. Beverly Young. He was later removed to the Community hospital in Long Beach.

## Brickels Quits As Laguna Beach C. of C. Director

LAGUNA BEACH, Dec. 24.—John L. Brickels, director of the chamber of commerce, who was elected last year for a two-year term, has sent in his resignation and it will become effective December 28, in time to permit another name to be placed on the ballot. There will be three holdovers out of six elected last year. Frank B. Champion, Frank W. Cuprien and H. H. Henshaw are the two-year men who will stay on the job. Eleven directors will be elected at the annual meeting January 12. J. Howard Sheridan, connected with the Laguna Beach Lumber company, will be a candidate. Thomas A. Cummings, George S. Johnston, Foster Elliott, Frank S. Browne and B. B. Mason are other candidates.

## PLACENTIA

PLACENTIA, Dec. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McDowell are planning Christmas dinner for 12 guests, among them will be their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mondotta of Placentia.

Victor M. Thompson has been very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Jerome are planning to spend the Christmas holiday at San Bernardino with Mrs. Jerome's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Montatte were in Long Beach on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Evans will have their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gorenflo and son, Stanley, to spend the Christmas holiday with them.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Manshardt are entertaining at Christmas dinner on Saturday. Covers will be laid for the Rev. M. Manshardt, the Rev. and Mrs. William Manshardt, of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Blumenshine and son, Robert; Miss Vera Manshardt, and the host and hostess, Dr. and Mrs. Manshardt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jerome will be guests on Christmas at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Jerome, in Belvedere. Another son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jerome, and daughter, Treva, also will be guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Miner and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wineland, of Anaheim, drove to Los Angeles on Tuesday morning and attended a theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fair and son, Cameron, expect to spend Christmas and Sunday in Riverside with Mrs. Fair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cann.

Mrs. Ollie Snell and children, Margaret, Bob and Jack, will go to Fullerton on Monday to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tayles. Mrs. Snell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rideout, will be down from Big Bear valley to be guests at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Dowling and son, Junior, came from Beaumont on Wednesday to spend the holidays with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frank M. Dowling, of Bradford avenue.

On Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dowling and son and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dowling, of Fullerton, drove to Los Angeles and were dinner guests at the home of the Dowling's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newnes will have as their guests on Christmas, Mrs. Anna New and children, Leona and Tom, and Mr. Newnes' brother, Jess Newnes.

Mrs. E. L. Mogridge and daughter, Jean, former residents, but now making their home in Whittier, were down on Wednesday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. James Huntley.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS  
and a thank you for  
your patronage during 1926.



## ARMY SURPLUS PROPERTY STORE

401 WEST FOURTH STREET

## Costs Money To Move H. B. Houses Now

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 24.—A new ordinance governing house-movers was in effect here today. The ordinance, which was passed at the last meeting of the city board of trustees, went into effect this morning.

House-movers will now pay a flat rate of \$15 in the city for every house moved. An additional charge of \$5 will be made for the use of the streets for one day. If more than one day is taken to move the house on a city street, an additional charge of \$3 a day will be made by the city.

The house-mover also will be required to state the length of time which he contemplates the job will take and if the time is exceeded he will be judged to have committed a nuisance and will be fined.

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## YORBA SHIPS 589 CARS OF CITRUS FRUIT

## \$40,000 LA HABRA BANK STRUCTURE IS FINISHED; OPENING SET FOR JAN. 10

LA HABRA, Dec. 24.—With the completion of the new \$40,000 First National Bank building at the corner of Main and Central avenues, a formal opening will be held about January 10.

Rudolph Meier, of Los Angeles is responsible for the plans for the new modern earthquake-proof building, of modern Aztec influence.

The exterior of the building is of reinforced concrete, covered with synthetic limestone, which is Indiana crushed limestone mixed with a small quantity of cement to give a natural stone finish to the building. This finished was done by train the total shipment would doubtless be record.

At the base of the exterior walls polished granite is used which in bank construction is considered one of the finest and most durable of materials for the purpose.

The last word in bank construction is the directors' room with its kitchenerette for the purpose of

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Special attention has been given to the safety deposit vaults which are constructed of 18-inch reinforced concrete with double layers of steel. A four-inch steel door provides Class A protection. The cash vault, book vault and storage vault are practically of the same construction.

The exterior of the building is of reinforced concrete, covered with synthetic limestone, which is Indiana crushed limestone mixed with a small quantity of cement to give a natural stone finish to the building. This finished was done by train the total shipment would doubtless be record.

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**EVENING SALUTATION**  
"O little town of Bethlehem,  
How still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep  
The silent stars go by;"

"Yet in the dark streets shineth  
The everlasting Light;  
The hopes and fears of all the years  
Are met in thee tonight."

## THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Christmas, the great Christian festival, is in itself the most convincing demonstration of Christianity. It exemplifies Christian doctrine and realizes Christian ideals.

"It is more blessed to give than to receive," said Jesus.

There was a new principle of human conduct. People were amazed when he uttered it. They could not believe it then. Most of us cannot believe it yet.

We pretend to believe it, but we seldom accept it in our hearts or express it in action. Day in and day out, through the long year, society acts on the principle that it is more blessed to receive than to give.

This is a competitive civilization, and competition makes selfishness. Economic ideas affect moral ideas. We have to be thrifty, and make a profit, and get what we can in all ways not expressly declared dishonorable, in order to make a living. The hard necessity of "survival of the fittest" impels us to take rather than give.

So taking or accepting becomes the rule of life, and giving or offering becomes the exception. When we do give, we are likely to do it from a sense of duty rather than pleasure. We feel self-righteous about it. Behold how generous we are!

Then comes December, with its perennial miracle—one of the most authentic and compelling of all miracles wrought in the spirit of man.

Slowly, unconsciously, a subtle change appears. People start planning to give Christmas presents. At first they seem actuated by sense of duty. But soon that phase passes. They come to feel a zest and enthusiasm for this strange business.

By the time Christmas arrives, hundreds of millions of supposedly selfish, practical, thrifty human beings are spending recklessly and giving with abandon, and finding in it keener enjoyment than they ever experienced from selfish acquisition. They are glad to receive gifts, but they are gladder to bestow them on others.

All at once they realize how much more blessed it is to give than to receive. And in this new spirit they find it easy to accept and practice those other cardinal precepts of Christian conduct,

"Be ye kind one to another."

"Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them."

For one day, at least, Christendom is Christian.

## SPEEDING FREIGHT

The new president of the Erie railroad, J. J. Bernet, exemplifies a new principle in railroading, whose value has been proved in his operation of the Nickel Plate.

When Bernet—who had been blacksmith, telegrapher and train dispatcher—was put in charge of the Nickel Plate, he concentrated on two things—getting freight business and speeding freight movements. The two went well together, for the more he speeded the freight, the more freight he got.

Railroads had long averaged about 15 miles a day for freight cars. They were just beginning to move a little faster. Bernet led the speeders. When American railroads in general succeeded in moving their freight an average of 22.4 miles a day, Bernet was moving his 47 miles a day.

Railroad men had held previously that the important thing in efficient transportation was to load locomotives with the maximum quantity of cars and freight. Bernet insisted that this was wise only in sparsely settled areas, and that in highly industrialized sections, the great desideratum was speed. He seems to have proved that.

Speed is today the cardinal principle of American industry. Volume of production is important, but it is speeding machinery and men that makes volume. The successful speeders, however, are not jumping up and down and running around in circles. Bernet remains calm. Ford remains calm. Judge Gary remains calm. The successful captain of industry—or of anything else, for that matter, generally hurried what he is doing but doesn't let himself be hurried.

## FIVE HUNDRED MILLIONS

On December 15 eight nations paid the United States a total of 96 million dollars on war debts, and U. S. citizens paid the government over \$400,000,000 in final installments on their income taxes. That ought to keep the wolf from the national door for a few more minutes.

The foreign payments came from Great Britain, Czechoslovakia, Belgium, Estonia, Finland, Hungary, Lithuania and Poland. The largest payment was Britain's \$92,950,000; the smallest was Hungary's \$39,672,98.

Well, it's a fine lot of money for one day's receipts. We hope Uncle Sam will use it wisely.

## PAN-AMERICANISM FOR CANADA

There is a chair in the beautiful Pan-American building in Washington, bearing the arms of the Dominion of Canada, which Canada has never occupied. Interest in that chair is growing, since the appointment of a Canadian Minister to Washington. It is felt that the chair will soon be filled.

So far, there has been a question of Canada's eligibility, and Canada has made no effort to gain admittance. The Dominion has been regarded as a "British" country, with an allegiance to the old world rather than the new. Now John Barrett, chairman of the International Pan-American committee and the George Washington of Pan-Americanism, holds that the only difficulty in the way of Canadian entrance has been removed. Separate Canadian diplomatic representation at Washington, he says, proves Canada a genuinely self-governing American democracy, properly belonging with the other democracies constituting the All-American Union.

Canada is by no means excited about the matter, though there seems to be a good chance of her coming in with perhaps some sort of mild "reservation" re-

minding her American associates of her continued loyalty to the British Empire in extra-American matters.

That would be an excellent thing for Pan-Americanism, which is not in so flourishing a condition as it was a few years ago. Canada would add to the prestige of the Union and share its burdens. Latin-Americans might be a little easier to deal with. A solid front would give this hemisphere more influence in Europe.

## Science and Secrets

San Francisco Chronicle

The column devoted to "Twenty-five Years Ago Today" reminds us that a quarter of a century has passed since Marconi, waiting in an old, dilapidated fortress on the coast of Newfoundland, received the first signals ever transmitted over the ocean. He had caught a message sent out from his station in Cornwall. His dream had become a solid fact of science.

The incidence of this anniversary is bound to lead us to speculate whether another of the universe's secrets, as marvelous as wireless, will be uncovered by science in the next twenty-five years. And, while prophecy is always precarious, it is fair to state that it is just as precarious to set bounds to what the mind of man is capable of accomplishing in the physical world. What these wonders may be beyond the imagination of this generation to conjure. But what we cannot conceive may be as commonplace to our children or our children's children as the telephone, airship and the radio are to us.

Marconi thinks that achievements in the particular field of wireless transmission will be as wonderful in the next twenty-five years as anything of which we have had experience. There is a possibility, he says, that transmission of power over moderate distances may be developed and that television may become an actuality.

We need an imagination more vivid than that of Jules Verne to picture the kind of world future generations will inhabit. The last half century gave us the telephone, and the last quarter of a century wireless, the automobile, the airship and radio. The coming quarter of a century must accomplish marvels if it is going to equal that record.

## Letters and Literature

Oakland Tribune

The advertised sale at public auction next month of intimate letters written by well known living authors in London has called forth a protest from Kipling, Shaw, Barrie, Wells and Hardy. These letters, being intimate, frankly express opinions about men still living, and, as would be expected, one of Kipling's carries his customary sneer at the United States, whose partiality for him is largely responsible for his fortune. In this country the letters of even the dead cannot be published without the consent of the family of the writer, but even here letters may be sold. In time, of course, they will be published.

And they should be, if history is to be served.

There is no reliable source for definite and dependable information of what goes on behind the smoke screen than private letters. Many established theories on events would be changed but for the destruction of many such notes.

That letters of a personal nature should not be published during the lifetime of the writer or of persons mentioned may be taken for granted. They can well be preserved, however, for the examination of students in the far future. The late Robert Todd Lincoln has turned over to the Congressional library a truck load of letters belonging to his father—to be open to inspection many years hence. Others have resorted to the same method for the preservation of letters. It is probably the best way.

## Modesto's Billboard Law

Redlands Facts

The city council has passed a billboard ordinance designed to regulate "unregulated" billboards in the city of Modesto. It was at the request of numerous citizens that the ordinance was passed, there being none on the statute books of the city pertaining to this matter.

The ordinance was the result of a reading of a large number of ordinances on the subject and a review of the law relating to billboards. The new measure while drastic, is equitable and is designed to fully protect the interests of the people.

It puts billboards under control of the council and prescribes certain rules which must be followed in the erection and maintenance of this class of structure. In passing the ordinance the council had in mind that billboards have been too freely scattered about the city without regard to the rights of adjacent property owners.

The Modesto ordinance may well be taken as a model for other cities where billboard evil has become acute.

## Editorial Shorts

In these days a woman can put everything she wears on her back without giving indication of unusual earning capacity.—The Lynchburg News.

No woman counts you a success until you have outwitted the man who is reputed to have outwitted everybody else.—The Baltimore Evening Sun.

It may be tough on a Jay-walker to be rebuked, but that isn't nearly as bad as being sent to the morgue.—The Indianapolis News.

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## Is Everybody Happy? You Should Ask!



## Tonight and Tomorrow

A lump in your throat this evening?

\* \* \*

Thank God for it.

\* \* \*

The voices of wise men of old quavered and trembled in the presence of sheer and adorable babyhood.

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Are the tiny fingers of the little folk tweaking your heartstrings this joyous evening?

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Count it good fortune told.

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Is the inner man of you beaming good will on all your kinsfolk and your friends?

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To admit it is to earn a compliment.

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There's no bitterness in smiles.

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Is the infectious jollity of Christmas Eve extending to take in all the world?

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Now you're coming!

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Merry Christmas to you!

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Do you believe in Santa Claus?

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Yes?

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Merry Christmas again!

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Will tomorrow find you throwing dignity into the limbo of things not worth while as you creep over the floor on all fours at the behest of some impious four-year-old?

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Is it in you to be a child again, even if only for a day?

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Do your eyes twinkle back in ready answer to the glitter of the tinsel and the colorful sparkle of the baubles on the tree?

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Does the mistletoe throw down a challenge that you can't resist?

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Merry Christmas to you!

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And to her!

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Will your eyes be bigger than your stomach, as you sit at table tomorrow?

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Will you gorge yourself with sweets and dainties in disregardful abandon of all doctors' rules and cautions?

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Will you be winking slyly, in make-believe, at Marjorie's bobbed-haired doll?

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And playing, feverishly spellbound, with little Bobbie's electric train?

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Fine!

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Merry Christmas to you!

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The day—with you—is going to go as it should go.

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For Christmas is more than merely a day—

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More than an anniversary.

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Christmas is a miracle—

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Making saints of sinners, kiddies of grown-ups, Mr. Pickwick of Uriah Heep, beauty of unloveliness, good will of rancor and peace of strife.

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Neither men nor angels can sing out of tune when the playful innocence of children supplies the motif and rounds out the melody.

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Time To Smile</p